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Angry Westland council speakers are not Richard LeBlanc's people

I supported Richard LeBlanc for mayor as did thousands of other Westland residents. I have never gone to a council meeting. I have never written a letter to the paper. In fact, I pretty much keep my opinions to myself. I appreciate that I can say these words here without having to give my name.

When I watch the meetings on TV and I see some people get up and get angry, I hope that the viewers at home realize that they are speaking as individuals and not as "his people."

Mr. LeBlanc was a very respectful, professional councilman and his tactics were not of a loud or confrontational nature.

Negative Sound Off reflects the transportation problems

Whoever you are that sent in the article about Rawson or Thayer, you must know who they are, stupid, because Sound Off is anonymous.

So how would you know who sent that in? By the way, it was not Rawson or Thayer.

You must keep your nose pretty far up someone's behind if you think that only two people have been upset and angry over at Wayne-Westland's transportation department.

You appeared to be upset. Could that be a result of the problems over at transportation?

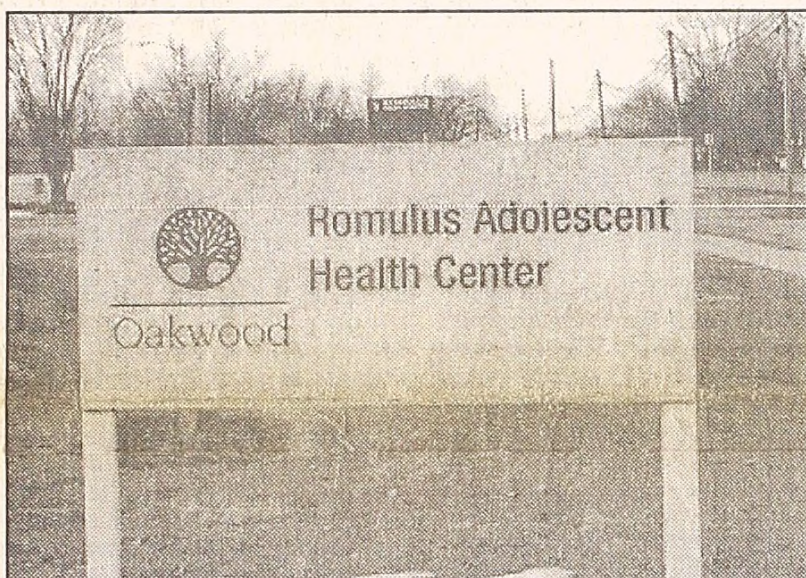
I would hope that in the future, if you're going to mention people by name, then please try not to sound so negative. You might make people think we're having trouble over there.

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Romulus officials tour new terminal

Romulus officials enjoyed the Friday noon McNamara terminal dedication with U.S. Sen. Carl Levin. The ceremony was followed by a luncheon and ample time to tour the new facility set to open next week. From left to right are Linda Choate, Romulus City Clerk; Bill Crane, owner of Crane's Funeral Home; Barbara Ann Snyder, Romulus Chamber Executive Secretary; Oscar Rhoton, Romulus Chamber member; and Mark Lewkowicz, Romulus Chamber member.



Saved by the council Teen Clinic to remain open

By STEPHANIE CARANO
MCN Staff Writer

Diane Vidovic of Romulus Adolescent Health Services went before city council on February 4 to encourage the approval to reprogram Community Development Block Grant funds from "Program Income" to the health clinic.

The health clinic and 19 others like it were due to lose their funding in November and convinced the state to extend the funds to February. The money would be gone at the end of the month and the clinic was going to close unless funds could be found elsewhere.

In light of the situation, Mayor Alan Lambert made a recommendation that the city council reprogram the CDBG funds to the clinic. The council approved the recommendation.

"We've been in Romulus High School for about 11 and a half years and we've seen an average of 1,000 kids a year, they receive a total of about 4,000 services," said Vidovic. The clinic is one of the high school's "points of pride," according to their website.

"Program Income" had 120, 276 dollars in additional funds that would be lost to Wayne County unless they were placed in another program. Program Income is money that CDBG has received through paid-off loans from their housing rehab program.

Due to new regulations in Wayne County, the money that will be given

to the health clinic is an access of funds that would have to be returned to the county unless CDBG can use it to assist something else within the city.

"We still have housing, we have funds, so we're not taking money away from any other projects," said Maria Lambert, Community Development Coordinator. "This is a way for us to use the money for a good cause and not take away from anything else."

The funds are below the normal amount of money the clinic would receive from the state but it will enable them to remain open for one year until further funds can be found.

The CDBG funding still need to be approved by Wayne County and the department of Housing and Urban Development. Indications, however, are that both bodies will approve the funding.

Until now, the clinic had been operating with 170,000 dollars from the state and an additional 10,000 dollars from the school and Oakwood Hospital, their health-care provider. The clinic will still receive money from the school and the hospital with the new funds coming from the city.

"The Romulus Teen (Health) Center provides access to kids and to their parents. We've been here 11 years and there was some controversy at first but we've done a good job in 11 years. We haven't made any mistakes, parents are very happy with us," said Vidovic.

Council agrees to pay for Beverly Road

By STEPHANIE CARANO
MCN Staff Writer

Romulus City Council, who had previously rejected the Budget Amendment 01/02-6 Beverly Road Construction project, voted on February 11 to fund the project.

On October 11, 2001 Romulus sold \$3, 300,000 in bonds to finance the project, which meant that the council must file a budget amendment in order for the funds to be applied.

According to Finance Director Debbie Hoffman, the amendment had to be passed when the bonds were sold.

The Municipal Finance Act, Public Act 202 and the Uniform Budgeting and Accounting Act requires that the proceeds need to be deposited in a separate bank account from the general fund and a separate Construction Fund must be established. All proceeds must go to the project.

"There is no other option that you have, you are required to have a fund and have a budget for the fund and the only way you can accomplish this is to file for the budget amendment," said Hoffman.

A memo from Hoffman to the city council states that if the City does not comply with the pertinent State statutes, auditors will be required to forward a transmittal letter indicating their non-compliance with their annual audit. This may adversely affect future city bond issues.

The issue has had difficulty getting approval because when it was first brought to the table with a different city council, the majority of the council decided to sell the bonds and later file a budget amendment.

After the city elections the amendment appeared on the agenda and the majority voted against it.

"There were several of us on council that did not support the Beverly Road project and believed that if we didn't support it in the beginning, why should we support it in the end?" said Councilwoman Debbie Romak on February 4.

Councilman William Wadsworth, who rejected the amendment at the

February 4 meeting, gave its approval on February 11. He stated that after he discussed the amendment with the finance department he changed his mind.

"If we don't do this and approve this it will affect our bonding for any future project that this mayor may happen to want. I was against this project on Beverly Road but I was only one of three people in a four people basket and we have to take care of our financial obligations," said Wadsworth.

The council approved the project with only Councilman Charles Miller remaining opposed. Councilwoman Romak was excused from the meeting and did not vote.

3 minutes, no personal attacks win approval

Romulus City Council approved revised rules for the public wishing to address council. Council reviewed a revised draft from the clerk that had the changes they were considering at the city council meeting February 4.

With the new rules, item 8 remains a separate rule that reads, "Once a motion is on the floor, discussion from the public shall no longer be permitted on that agenda item."

Council will reinforce the rule, "remarks shall be limited to three minutes, subject to being an additional three minutes by consent of the chair." This is under item number four.

An additional rule has been added to item four that states, "There shall be no personal attacks." This was decided after it was suggested by the city attorney.

The rest of the rules will remain unchanged. Individuals wishing to address city council must still fill out a "request to address" card.

Council approved the changes to the rules with all in favor. Councilwoman Debbie Romak, who was excused from the meeting, did not vote.

News in Brief



Debbie Juriga

Juriga wins national honor

Wick Elementary Principal Debbie Juriga has received a national John W. Vaughn Excellence in Education Award for 2002 from the North Central Association. Juriga is one of only seven educators that receive this award annually.

Juriga was the head of the successful Romulus Community School District's accreditation team. He efforts led all schools in the Romulus district to become the first district in Michigan to receive the five year Transitions Based Accreditation for all district schools.

Juriga will receive her award on April 7th at the NCA annual meeting at the Chicago Marriott Hotel.

Sound Control to be discussed

A meeting that will explain improvements made in the "Sound Control Project" is scheduled to take place 1 1/2 hours before the regular City Council meeting on Feb. 25.

Mayor Alan Lambert, County Commissioners John Sullivan and Ed Boike, the city council, representatives from Wayne County, and the new general contractor for the project, C & S Management will be present to explain the improvements being made and field questions from the audience.

For more information call Butch's Kitchens at 722-1345.

New veterans post planned

Romulus area veterans are invited to meet with state and local American Legion representatives who plan a new American Legion Post in the Romulus area.

Veterans may meet with the legionnaires at the Romulus Police Department on Friday, February 22, from 10-6 and Saturday, February 23, from 10-5.

For more information contact Don Moos, 728-2515.

Imax trip Feb. 25

The Romulus Recreation Department is planning a mid-winter break trip to the Imax Theater in Dearborn on February 25. Children, ages 3-12, and accompanying adults are invited to attend a screening of Beauty and the Beast.

A bus will be leaving the Recreation Center at 11:15 and will return at 3 p.m. Sign up at the Romulus Recreation Center from 8-6 Monday thru Friday. Call 942-6852 for more information.

Baiocco honored

David Baiocco, owner of B & B Concrete Placement, of Brandt Road, was awarded the "My Boss is a Patriot" certificate of appreciation in a ceremony held February 14.

The certificate is awarded by the National Guard and Reserve for outstanding service to the national defense through continuing support of the National Guard.

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NEWS FROM THE CITY OF INKSTER



“Command performance”

The Garretts are a big favorite with the seniors in the City of Inkster, where they play at a wide range of activities, including at holiday festivities. Above, Mr. and Mrs. James Garrett provide the music for a “Sing-Along” that produced smiles and cheers on the faces of those seniors who attended. Photo by Theola Jones.

Inkster Ministerial Alliance schedules homebuyers meeting

If you think you'll be in the market to purchase a home in the near future, you may want to attend a Homeownership Crusade seminar sponsored by the Inkster Ministerial Alliance, Wayne County Commissioner Kay Beard, and Wayne County Executive Edward McNamara.

The seminar will begin at 7 p.m., Monday, Feb. 25, and will be held at the Booker T. Dozier Recreation Center, located at 2025 Middlebelt Road in Inkster. Registration for the event will start at 6:30 p.m.

The seminar is part of an effort to stabilize distressed communities by turning renters into homeowners. The Homeowners Crusade program provides down payment and closing cost assistance to eligible families who have not owned a home in the last three years.

The homebuyers orientation will offer assistance in homeownership

counseling and help families work through their credit problems, in addition to offering down payment and closing cost assistance.

“This is a great opportunity to get vital information and assistance in owning your own home,” McNamara said. “We have joined forces with the faith-based community to make home ownership a reality.”

Each potential home buyer must provide \$1,000 of their own money. In addition, total annual household income may not exceed the following: 1-person family - \$36,750; 2-person family - \$42,000; 3-person family - \$47,250; 4-person family - \$52,500; 5-person family - \$56,700; 6-person family - \$60,900; 7-person family - \$65,100; and 8-person family - \$69,300.

To pre-register for the Homebuyers Orientation, please call 313-821720.

Weed & Seed sets meeting

If you have a question about justice and law enforcement as administered in the City of Inkster, you may want to attend a meeting tonight (Thursday, Feb. 21) that will address the subject.

Police officials announced last week that they will hold a meeting tonight at 6:30 p.m. in collaboration with Inkster Weed & Seed at the Booker T. Dozier Recreation Complex, located at 2025 Middlebelt Road.

“We are inviting all residents who are interested in community policing and our neighborhoods to attend this meeting,” said Jeannie Fields, director of Weed & Seed. “Here is an opportunity to ask questions and receive answers from people who are on the front line of fighting crime and drugs each day of the week.”

For additional information, please contact the Inkster Weed & Seed offices at 734-722.5146.

Mayor calls for more volunteers

By THEOLA JONES
MCN Special Writer

In his recent State of the City address, Mayor Hilliard Hampton, Jr. called for more volunteers to help fill and join the ranks of those who have served loyally and with dedication like Michael Green.

If you have a few hours to devote to your city, and your community, contact the City Hall and let them know that you are available.

If you recall, Green, a U. S. Marine reservist, stepped up and helped keep the “Toys For Tots” program alive here in the city and the area.

If “Mr. Scrooge” or “The Grinch” had stopped by the former Block Buster's Video Store on Michigan Avenue, they would have seen what volunteers can accomplish with the support of the community. The store was packed with toys for tots.

The entire store was filled with toys of every description, wall-to-wall. There were over 250 shiny new bicycles in an array of colors.

Who knows, maybe the two old meanies - Scrooge and the Grinch -

may have had a change of heart and may volunteer to distribute these toys next year.

The “Toys For Tots” program is sponsored and organized by the U. S. Marines, and was supervised locally and area-wide by Green, who is also a 22nd District Court officer.

Green coordinated the distribution of toys with the help of an army of willing volunteers. Hundreds of children in Wayne, Westland, and Romulus were paid a visit by Santa thanks to the volunteers and the U. S. Marines. It was an awesome task to register and distribute the toys, but working up until the last minute on Christmas Eve, the job was completed.

It is never too late to hope for a miracle. To make miracles happen, however, the city needs people like you - won't you volunteer?

And, maybe someday there won't be any Scrooges or Grinches and all we'll have are happy faces at Christmas.

Who knows, we all know a miracle or two.

Resident is awarded a science degree

An Inkster resident was recently awarded a Bachelor of Science degree from Eastern Michigan University. Lucius Allen White, who majored in Communication and Theatre Arts, graduated from the Ypsilanti-based university in December.

Lucius is the son of Paul and Carolynne White, the grandson of Evelyn Parham and the godson of Dr. Yvonne Callaway.



In storm's wake
City urges residents to help in clean-up

By TOM MOORADIAN
MCN Staff Writer

For some residents of Inkster and the neighboring area, the first winter storm of the season that hit southeastern Michigan on Feb. 6 may be a just memory, but for the workers at the Inkster Department of Public Services, which is charged with the clean-up, the debris left by the storm remains a reality.

The DPS crews continue to clean up nature's mess, largely left by the high winds that accompanied the sleet and the snow.

“There are branches that still

need to be picked up and are precariously lying on streets,” said Inkster Councilwoman Naomi Jones. “Isn't there anything we can do to pick up the debris?”

Inkster City Manager Robert Gordon informed council that the DPS crews are concentrating on the clean-up, but there is still a lot more work to be done.

“All of our trucks are concentrating on collecting and disposing of the branches and bushes left by the storm,” Gordon said. “But we need to inform our residents that they, too, can help out. We need them to cut up the branches and place them

in neat piles between the sidewalk and the curb so that they can be picked up.”

Gordon stressed that “all of the neighboring cities are in the same situation. I don't think anyone was spared by this storm.”

Councilman Marcus Hendricks asked whether the DPS had a schedule put together that would indicate when the trucks would be in the neighborhoods. “Is there anything that the citizens can do to help out?”

Gordon replied that a plan was in place, and that the DPS also was working more hours to ensure time-

ly pickups.

“We just have to get the news out to our residents that we will be picking up the debris, and that they should place the branches where they can be picked up,” the city manager added.

Mayor Pro Tem Wanda Harris-Foster, who chaired the Wednesday night council study session in the absence of Mayor Hilliard Hampton, Jr., said that if residents did have questions that they should contact the DPS offices.

DPS Director Muzzaffar Lakhani can be reached at 563-9773.

MINUTES OF THE REGULAR MEETING OF THE ROMULUS CITY COUNCIL HELD FEBRUARY 4, 2002 IN THE COUNCIL CHAMBER ROMULUS CITY HALL, 11111 S. WAYNE ROAD, ROMULUS, MICHIGAN 48714.

The meeting was called to order at 7:30 p.m. by Randolph Gear, Mayor Pro Tem

Present: LeRoy D. Burcroff, William A. Crova, Randolph Gear, Charles Miller, Michael Prybyla, Debbie Romak

Excused: William Wadsworth

Absent: None

Administrative Officials in Attendance:

Alan R. Lambert, Mayor

Linda R. Choate, Clerk

Kathleen Lindroth, Deputy Treasurer

1. Motion by Romak, supported by Crova to accept the agenda as amended.*

Roll Call Vote Showing: Ayes - Burcroff, Crova, Gear, Miller, Prybyla, Romak. Nays - None. Motion Carried Unanimously.

02-049

2A.. Motion by Burcroff, supported by Romak to approve the minutes of the regular meeting of the Romulus City Council held January 28, 2002.

Roll Call Vote Showing: Ayes - Burcroff, Crova, Gear, Miller, Prybyla, Romak. Nays - None. Motion Carried Unanimously.

02-050

3A1. Motion by Burcroff, supported by Romak to remove from the table the request from the County of Wayne and Northwest Airlines for a new full year Class C liquor license ID# 135123 at the Midfield Terminal, Detroit Metropolitan Airport.

Roll Call Vote Showing: Ayes - Burcroff, Crova, Gear, Miller, Prybyla, Romak. Nays - None. Motion Carried Unanimously.

02-051

3A2. Motion by Prybyla, supported by Burcroff to approve the request from the County of Wayne and Northwest Airlines for a new full year Class C liquor license ID# 135123 at the Midfield Terminal Concourse B Club, Detroit Metropolitan Airport.

Roll Call Vote Showing: Ayes - Burcroff, Gear, Miller, Prybyla, Romak. Nays - Crova. Motion Carried.

02-052

3B1. Motion by Romak, supported by Prybyla to remove from the table the request from the County of Wayne and Northwest Airlines to transfer a 2001 Class C licensed business ID# 135124 from the L.C. Smith Terminal World Club Concourse C to the Midfield Terminal, Detroit Metropolitan Airport.

Roll Call Vote Showing: Ayes - Burcroff, Crova, Gear, Miller, Prybyla, Romak. Nays - None. Motion Carried Unanimously.

02-053

3B2. Motion by Prybyla, supported by Burcroff to approve the request from the County of Wayne and Northwest Airlines to transfer a 2001 Class C licensed business ID# 135124 from the L.C. Smith Terminal World Club Concourse C to the Midfield Terminal South Club, Detroit Metropolitan Airport.

Roll Call Vote Showing: Ayes - Burcroff, Crova, Gear, Miller, Prybyla, Romak. Nays - None. Motion Carried Unanimously.

02-054

3C1. Motion by Burcroff, supported by Romak to remove from the table the request from the County of Wayne and Northwest Airlines to transfer a 2001 Class C liquor license ID# 135125 from the J.P. Davy North Terminal Building to the Midfield Terminal, Detroit Metropolitan Airport.

Roll Call Vote Showing: Ayes - Burcroff, Crova, Gear, Miller, Prybyla, Romak. Nays - None. Motion Carried Unanimously.

02-055

3C2. Motion by Romak, supported by Burcroff to approve the request from the County of Wayne and Northwest Airlines to transfer a 2001 Class C liquor license ID# 135125 from the J.P. Davy North Terminal Building to the Midfield Terminal North Club, Detroit Metropolitan Airport.

Roll Call Vote Showing: Ayes - Burcroff, Gear, Miller, Prybyla, Romak. Nays - Crova. Motion Carried.

02-056

3D1. Motion by Burcroff, supported by Prybyla to remove from the table the request from the County of Wayne and Northwest Airlines to transfer a 2001 Class C liquor license ID# 135126 from the Detroit Metro Airport Central Service Building to the Midfield Terminal, Detroit Metropolitan Airport.

Roll Call Vote Showing: Ayes - Burcroff, Crova, Gear, Miller, Prybyla, Romak. Nays - None. Motion Carried Unanimously.

02-057

3D2. Motion by Prybyla, supported by Miller to approve the request from the County of Wayne and Northwest Airlines to transfer a 2001 Class C liquor license ID# 135126 from the Detroit Metro Airport Central Service Building to the Midfield Terminal World Club, Detroit Metropolitan Airport.

Roll Call Vote Showing: Ayes - Burcroff, Gear, Miller, Prybyla, Romak. Nays - Crova. Motion Carried.

02-058

3E. Motion by Romak, supported by Miller to approve transfer ownership of 2000 SDM licensed business from Charles L. Irvine Estate, Carol Irvine, Successor Personal Representative located at 30881 Ecorse Road to Norman G. Soop, Jr.

Roll Call Vote Showing: Ayes - Burcroff, Crova, Gear, Miller, Prybyla, Romak. Nays - None. Motion Carried Unanimously.

02-059

3F. Motion by Crova, supported by Romak to approve the request from Ryan International Airlines, Inc. for a new Aircraft license to be located at Detroit Metropolitan Airport ID#136687 with Sunday Sales and Off Premise Storage.

Roll Call Vote Showing: Ayes - Burcroff, Crova, Gear, Miller, Prybyla, Romak. Nays - None. Motion Carried Unanimously.

02-060

4A. Motion by Crova, supported by Burcroff to authorize the attendance of the elected officials at the National League of Cities Conference in Washington, D.C. March 8-12, 2002.

Roll Call Vote Showing: Ayes - Burcroff, Crova, Gear, Miller, Prybyla, Romak. Nays - None. Motion Carried Unanimously.

4. Motion by Romak, supported by Burcroff to accept the Chairperson's Report.

Roll Call Vote Showing: Ayes - Burcroff, Crova, Gear, Miller, Prybyla, Romak. Nays - None. Motion Carried Unanimously.

02-061

5A. Motion by Burcroff, supported by Crova to authorize the expenditure of \$1,500.00 from the Law Enforcement Fund - State for this years DARE Graduation Activity at Skateland.

Roll Call Vote Showing: Ayes - Burcroff, Crova, Gear, Miller, Prybyla, Romak. Nays - None. Motion Carried Unanimously.

02-062

5B. Motion by Romak, supported by Burcroff to reject Bid 01/02-35 for a Semi Automatic Band Saw due to inadequate funding.

Roll Call Vote Showing: Ayes - Burcroff, Crova, Gear, Miller, Prybyla, Romak. Nays - None. Motion Carried Unanimously.

02-063

5C. Motion by Crova, supported by Burcroff to award Bid 01/02-32 for the 2001 Demolitions to the lowest qualified bidder, Homrich, Inc. for a total bid price of \$36,300.00.

Roll Call Vote Showing: Ayes - Burcroff, Crova, Gear, Miller, Prybyla, Romak. Nays - None. Motion Carried Unanimously.

5D. Item deleted at Mayor's request.

02-064

5E. Motion by Burcroff, supported by Romak to award Bid 01/02-39 for a Rear Building Entrance Enclosure at the Police Department to the lowest bidder, Alert Glass for a total price of \$7,828.00.

Roll Call Vote Showing: Ayes - Burcroff, Crova, Gear, Miller, Prybyla, Romak. Nays - None. Motion Carried Unanimously.

02-065

5F. Motion by Crova, supported by Prybyla to rescind Resolution #01-444 for emergency repairs to Fire Pumper #321 with Airport Truck & Trailer and to authorize the emergency repairs to Fire Pumper #321 and #331 through R&R Fire Truck Repair, Inc. an authorized service repair facility for Pierce Fire Trucks.

Roll Call Vote Showing: Ayes - Burcroff, Crova, Gear, Miller, Prybyla, Romak. Nays - None. Motion Carried Unanimously.

02-066

5G. Motion by Prybyla, supported by Romak to award Bid 01/02-34 for Fire Fighter Helmets to Apollo Fire Equipment at a bid price of \$197.00 per helmet.

Roll Call Vote Showing: Ayes - Burcroff, Crova, Gear, Miller, Prybyla, Romak. Nays - None. Motion Carried Unanimously.

02-067

5H. Motion by Romak, supported by Miller to reject Bid 01/02-38 for Emergency Response Equipment and grant authorization to purchase equipment from C.M.P. Distributors in the amount of \$10,368.00.

Roll Call Vote Showing: Ayes - Burcroff, Crova, Gear, Miller, Prybyla, Romak. Nays - None. Motion Carried Unanimously.

02-068

5I. Motion by Burcroff, supported by Crova to award Bid 01/02-37 for ten (10) Benelli 12 Gauge Shotguns to the only qualified Bidder Metropolitan Uniforms in the amount of \$249.99 per shotgun with sights.

Roll Call Vote Showing: Ayes - Burcroff, Crova, Gear, Miller, Prybyla, Romak. Nays - None. Motion Carried Unanimously.

02-069

5J. Motion by Romak, supported by Burcroff to approve the reprogram of Community Development Block Grant Funds from “Program Income” to the Romulus Adolescent Health Center in the amount of \$120,276.55.

Roll Call Vote Showing: Ayes - Burcroff, Crova, Gear, Miller, Romak. Nays - Prybyla. Motion Carried.

6A1. No action taken.

6A2. No action taken.

11. Motion by Romak, supported by Prybyla to adjourn the regular meeting of the Romulus City Council.

Roll Call Vote Showing: Ayes - Burcroff, Crova, Gear, Miller, Prybyla, Romak. Nays - None. Motion Carried Unanimously.

Respectfully submitted,
Linda R. Choate, CMC, Clerk
City of Romulus, Michigan

I, Linda R. Choate, Clerk for the City of Romulus, Michigan do hereby certify the foregoing to be a true copy of the minutes of the regular meeting of the Romulus City Council held February 4, 2002.

Linda R. Choate, CMC, Clerk
City of Romulus, Michigan

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NEWS FROM THE CITY OF WAYNE

New concealed weapons law triggers concerns

A handful of Wayne residents had pertinent questions about the newly-enacted concealed weapons licensing procedures, and they raised their concerns at the Feb. 5 meeting of the Wayne City Council.

Tuesday night, Wayne Police Chief Mike Sumeracki provided the concerned citizens with answers.

First and foremost, Sumeracki stressed, that those who apply for concealed weapons, or have weapons, should know how to use and handle them safely.

The Wayne police chief also noted that there are legal restrictions on where a concealed weapon may be prohibited.

"Just because you have a concealed weapon's license doesn't give you the right to violate the laws pertaining to them," Sumeracki said. The Wayne police chief provided the audience with a list of restricted and prohibited areas for concealed weapons:

"Weapons are not permitted in any courtroom, office, or space used for official court business or by judicial employees unless the chief judge or other person designated by the chief judge has given prior approval consistent with the court's written policy."

The Wayne police chief also pointed out that concealed weapons

are prohibited in the following places:

- * School or school property, but may be carried in a vehicle on to school property while dropping off or picking up a person or material, if the person is a parent or legal guardian;
- * Public or private day care center, public or private child-caring agency, or public or private child placing agency;
- * Sports arena or stadium;
- * Dining room, lounge, or bar area of a premise licensed under the Liquor Control Code; but, does not apply to owner or employee;
- * Any property or facility owned

or operated by a church, synagogue, mosque, temple, or other place of worship, unless presiding official allows concealed weapons;

- * An entertainment facility that the individual knows or should know has a seating capacity of 2,500 or more;
- * A hospital;
- * A dormitory or classroom of a community college, college or university, and
- * A casino.

Citizens who have other questions pertaining to the concealed weapons law may contact their police department.

Western Wayne Dems hold meeting

The newly-organized Western Wayne County Democratic Club has scheduled an executive meeting for Feb. 28.

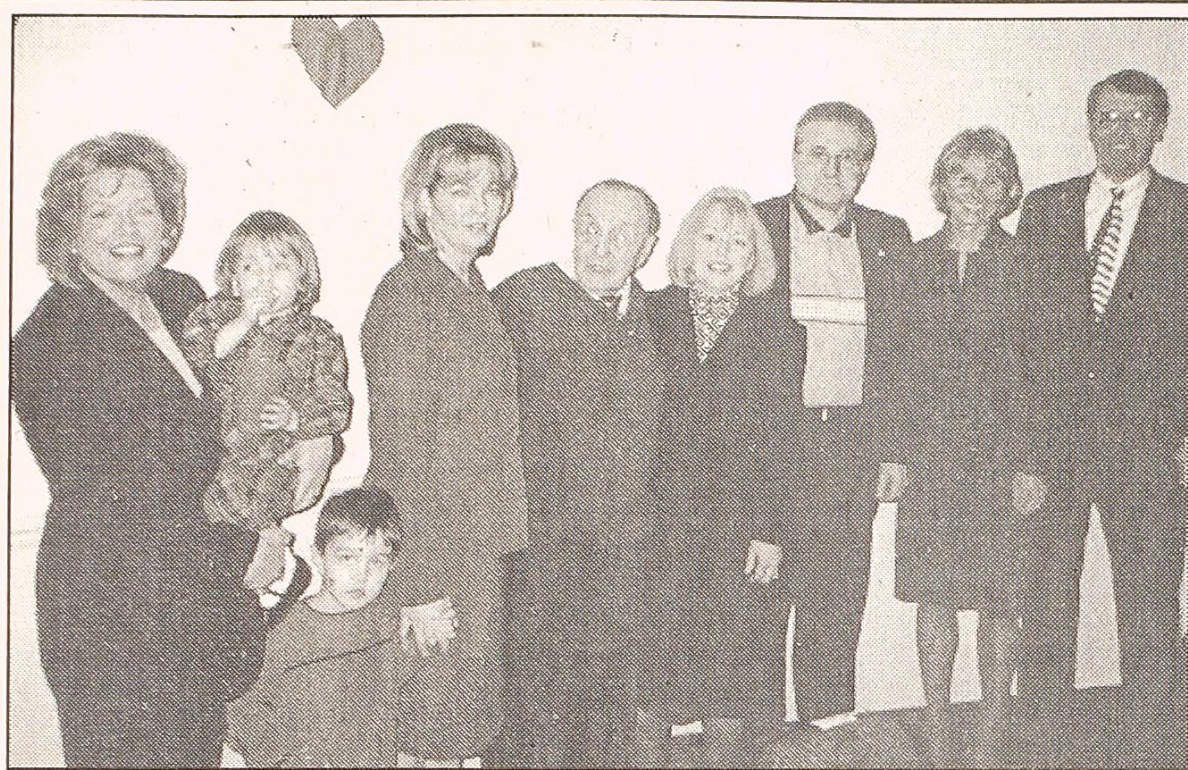
The meeting will be conducted from 6 to 7 p.m. at the Local 900 - UAW facility, located at 38200 Michigan Avenue.

Richard DePoole, vice president of the Western Wayne County Democratic Club, said that there is a wide-range of topics on the agenda

to be addressed, and he urged local residents to attend.

"This is a general membership meeting," DePoole noted, "and we're inviting local as well as area Democrats to attend."

Roger Koromos serves as the president of the Western Wayne County Club which includes the areas of Wayne, Romulus, Canton Township, Dearborn Heights and Westland.



Among those who attended the Metro Wayne Democratic Club's program included Audrey Monahan, (from left), Annette Berry, Cliff Johnson, president of the Metro Wayne Club, Westland Mayor Sandra Cicirelli, Wayne Mayor Al Haidous, keynote speaker, Attorney Marietta Robinson, and State Senator Chris Dingell.

Dems seek sweep in November

The year 2002 is also being celebrated as "The year of the Democrat", and the year the party will return their candidate to the Governor's Mansion.

It will also be the year the Dems will capture all the major offices in the state.

That was the message members of the Metro Wayne Democratic Club received from their keynote speaker, Attorney Marietta Robinson.

Robinson, a candidate for the Attorney General's Office, was in town last week to offer her arguments why the time is now for the

Democratic Party to take control of the state. She noted that the Republicans have failed to solve the myriads of problems that face Michigan and its residents today. She cited the economy, the massive loss of jobs and the continuous layoffs that appear to have no end.

"If the Republicans had solutions, don't you think they would put them in place? They don't, so we're inviting them to move aside and allow those who do."

There were some 200 in attendance.

Also, attending the Metro

Wayne Democratic Club affair were newly-elected mayor and long-time Westland councilwoman, Mayor Sandy Cicirelli, State Senator Chris Dingell, Tom Ellis, representing the mayor of Romulus, Alan Lambert, as well as Wayne councilwoman Beverly Shackelford.

"I think people have finally realized that Gov. Engler has caused the working people of this state more hardships than any other governor in recent times. We all know it's time for a change," said Cliff Johnson, president of the Metro Wayne Democratic Club.

Secretary of State office is closed on Tuesday

Officials of the Secretary of State's announced this week that the branch office will be closed on Tuesday, Feb. 26, so that an upgrade of the office computer system may be installed.

The Secretary of State's branch office at 36131 Michigan Ave., will be closed for one day on Tues., Feb. 26, and only on that date, for the installation of a new computer equipment.

Local residents may want to consider utilizing the Westland

Branch office at 6090 North Wayne Road (734-721-3813) or the Canton Township Secretary of State's Office at 44948 Ford Road (734-453-8211) or the Inkster branch office located on 27165 Cherry Hill Road. That number in Inkster is 313-565-0100.

Business hours for the branch offices in Westland, Canton and Inkster are Monday, Tuesday, Thursday and Friday from 9 a.m. until 5 p.m. and on Wednesdays

from 11 a.m. until 7 p.m.

Customers who need to renew license plates or watercraft registrations may avoid a trip to a branch office by renewing by Internet, touch-tone telephone, mail or fax. Easy to follow renewal instructions are enclosed with the renewal notice.

The Secretary of State regrets this inconvenience, but officials also expect the equipment upgrade will result in improved service at the Wayne branch office.

City loan program moved to rec. center

City officials this week announced that the Wayne Fire Department's "Loan Program" has been transferred to the Parks and Recreation Department.

The program offers citizens the use of wheelchairs, crutches and walkers for a limited amount of time. The transfer of the program to the Recreation Center is effective as of Feb. 20, according to city officials.

Should residents need to borrow equipment they are urged to contact the Parks and Recreation Department at 734-721-7400.

Also, for residents who presently have items on loan, they are requested to return the equipment to the Wayne Community Center, located at 4635 Howe Road.

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OBITUARIES

BALLARD II, GILLIS SANDERS, 57, of Westland, passed away January 24. Loving father of Rhonda Chandler, Gale Ellison, LaBelle Ballard, Angela, and Jessica Ballard. Beloved sister of Betty Starr, Diane Tuttle, Danny Ballard, John Mink, and Darrell Mink. Dear step-daughter of Jewel Ballard. Also survived by eight grandchildren. Funeral services were held at Uht Funeral Home with Rev. Don Justice officiating. Interment followed at Glenwood Cemetery, Wayne.

BARDEN, HORTENSE, 78, of Detroit (born to Charles and Weona Burney in Easton, GA), passed away December 30. She leaves behind to mourn her passing her husband Alton Barden; her children; her grandchildren; family and friends. Arrangements were made by Penn Funeral Home with interment following at Elmwood Cemetery.

BELLAMY, HAROLD JOSEPH, 78, of Ironwood, Michigan passed away January 9. Dear husband of the late Arlene Bellamy. Loving father of Greg Bellamy, Scott (Stephanie) Bellamy, and Dianne Hurlay. Dear brother of Donald Bellamy. Funeral services were held at Uht Funeral Home with Rev. Jerry Bechard officiating. Interment followed at Holy Sepulchre, Southfield.

BONNER, ELDER JOHNNIE, 73, of Inkster (born in Newman, GA to Walker and Annie Bonner) passed away January 25. He retires from General Motors after 32 years of service. Mr. Bonner was also an ordained minister since 1986. He leaves behind to mourn his passing his wife Phyllis; his children, Terry, Bonita, Johnnie, and Lola; step-children, Cynthia and Mark; grandchildren; great-grandchildren; family and friends. Funeral arrangements were made by Penn Funeral Home. Funeral services were held at New Christ Temple Church with Elder Luther Jenkins officiating. Interment followed at Knollwood Memorial Park.

BRUNER, JOHN, 56, of Inkster (born in Statesville, N.C. to John and Harriett Bruner) passed away January 7. Mr. Bruner was a Tae Kwon Do instructor. He also loved to repair cars and motorcycles. He leaves to cherish his memories his mother Harriett; daughters Lawanda and Dione; three grandchildren; family and friends. Arrangements were made by Penn Funeral Home. Funeral services were held at Pentecostal Temple with Elder Isaac King officiating.

COVELL, RALPH L., 78, of Coleman, Michigan (formerly of Westland) passed away February 10. He was born on July 18, 1923 to Fred and Edna (Robinson) Covell in Hale, MI. In June 1943 he married Shirley Davis in Beaverton, they were married for 58 years. Mr. Covell served his country in the U.S. Army during World War II. He was a member of many Veteran Organizations. Mr. Covell retired in 1965 after 30 years of service from the Westland Water Department, he was a General Foreman. He is survived by his loving wife Shirley (Davis) Covell. His beloved children Martha (James) Burgess of Wayne; Erica (Dennis) Mars of Franklin, TN; and Fred (Alicia) Covell of Westland. Dear grandfather of Vicki and Tom Boljesic; Lori and Derek Femat; Wendi and Ron Way; Brian and Tracie Burgess; Christy and Bill

Hendrickson; and Bradley Mars. Loved great-grandfather of Whitney Burgess; Ryan, Jacob, and Madison Boljesic; Amanda, Tyler, and Brooke Femat; Chelsi and Brett Way; Courtney Ponczak; and Brayden and Bryce Burgess. Dear brother of Ola and Tony Leigeb. Also survived by many nieces and nephews. Preceded in death by his parents; his brothers Earl and Russell; and his sisters Winifred Moshier and Lucille Bowlsby. Funeral services were held at Hall Funeral Home in Beaverton, MI with the Rev. Duane Koontz officiating. Interment followed at Beavertown Cemetery. Military Honors were performed at the V.F.W. Post 7303.

DONALD, JOY ANN, 47, of Ypsilanti (born to Lonnie and Minnie Donald), passed away January 6. She leaves to mourn her passing her daughters Alicia and Iesha; her grandchildren Shakiem, Jamon, Ajah, Raekeon, and Jalicia; her mother Minnie; seven brothers; two sisters; family and friends. Funeral arrangements were made by Penn Funeral Home.

FITZSIMMONS SR., JOSEPH S., 50, of Belleville, passed away January 31. Beloved husband of Rosemary (Madera) Fitzsimmons. Dear father of Joseph (Rebecca) Fitzsimmons Jr. of Belleville, Thomas (Rachel) Fitzsimmons of Belleville, Andrea Rosa Fitzsimmons of Belleville, and Anthony Fitzsimmons of Belleville. Dear son of the late John Al and Kinney Grace (Mims) Fitzsimmons. Dearest brother of Thomas Cole (Marlene) Fitzsimmons of Canton, Mary Ann (John) Burkhardt of Canton, Kathy (Billy) Anders of Georgia, Brenda Rutledge of Belleville, Barbara (Jim) Veach of Romulus, Eva Candler of Romulus, Juanita (Jerome) Bianchi, Constance (Cecil) Osborne, Frances Madera, Gregory (Lois) Madera, Amelia (Tom) Wieschowski, Adolfo (Gail) Madera Jr., Benjamin (Nely) Madera, Richard (Judy) Madera, Joseph (renee) Madera, Dolores (Robert) Fryor, Estephania Madera, Theresa Tolbert, Alicia (Joseph) Hodgkinson, Angelina Madera, and Marie (Tom) Madera. Loving grandfather of Jeffery Joseph Fitzsimmons and Shelby Marie Fitzsimmons. Also survived by many nieces and nephews. He was employed by National Steel Great Lakes Division. A Funeral Mass was held at St. Anthony's Catholic Church with Father Thomas Cusick as celebrant. Interment followed at Michigan Memorial Park, Flat Rock. Arrangements were made by David C. Brown Funeral Home, Belleville.

KELLER, BRENDA D., 51, of Westland, passed away January 30. Loving mother of Gary Keller. Beloved mother of Casandra Keller and Katrina Keller. Dear step-daughter of the late Charles W. Houchin. Dearest sister of Wesley Dobbins; step-sister of Ralph Houchin and Charles Houchin. Funeral services were held at St. Michael's Lutheran Church, Wayne with Dr. Robert Schultz officiating. Interment followed at Southern Michigan Services. Funeral arrangements were made by Uht Funeral Home, Westland.

LEAPLEY, DELLA JEANNE, 62, passed away January 19. Beloved wife of the late Ronald Leapley. Loving mother of Donna (Raymond) Fox of Westland; Dinae (John Bush) Goodrich; and Jill (John) Burnett. Dearest sister of Dennis Schram and the late David Schram. Loved grandmother of

Michael Burnett, Jessica Fox, Haley Fox, Christina Fox, and Ryan Bush. Funeral services were held at Uht Funeral Home with Rev. David Stewart officiating. Interment followed at Michigan Memorial Park, Flat Rock.

McCASKILL, OLGA, 75, of Reno, NV (formerly of Inkster) passed away January 16. She was born in Kissimmee, FL to Charles and Eola Riley. She was also a former graduate of Cass Tech High School. She leaves to mourn her death her children Helen, James, Charles, and twins Yvonne and Yvette; twenty-two grandchildren; seven great-grandchildren; family and friends. Funeral services were held at Penn Funeral Home with minister Billy Stanton officiating. Interment followed at Westlawn Cemetery West.

McGRAIL, THELMA J., 80, of Canton (formerly of Westland), passed away February 4. Beloved wife of the late John. Dear mother of John (Cheryl). Dearest grandmother of Michele, melissa, Monica, and Megan; and great-grandmother of five. Dear sister of Mildred Eakin. Funeral services were held at Harry J. Will Funeral Home.

MOYER, ROBERT CHARLES, 76, of Westland passed away January 28. Beloved husband of the late Barbara Moyer. Loving father of Lynn (Evelyn) Moyer, Michael (Cindy) Moyer, Garry (Pam) Moyer, Kevin (Debbie) Moyer, Randy (Jill) Moyer, and the late Larry Moyer. Dearest brother of Emmet Moyer, Stub Moyer the late Don Moyer, and the late Virginia Albright. Dear grandfather of eighteen and great grandfather of one. Funeral services were held at Uht Funeral Home with Rev. Bob Isaac officiating. Interment followed at Mt. Hope Memorial Gardens, Livonia.

NELMS JR., CALFERS, 55, of Inkster (born in Earlo, AK to Cifers and Luvenia Nelms Sr.) passed away January 7. Mr. Nelms served in the U.S. Marine Corps. He also retired from Ford Motor Company. He leaves behind to mourn two aunts; uncles; three step-children; family and friends. Funeral services were held at Penn Funeral Home with Rev. Dale Bragg officiating. Interment followed at Westlawn Cemetery West in Ypsilanti.

PENNMAN, ELBERTINE O., 81, of Inkster (born in Dothan, AL to EB and Auwilda Deyampert) passed away December 24. Services were held at Triumph Baptist Church with Rev. Deyampert officiating. Interment followed at Knollwood Memorial Park. Arrangements were made by Penn Funeral Home.

PENNY, IDA, 79, of Inkster (born in Madison, GA to Joseph and Lucy Mitchell), passed away in New Briton, Connecticut January 17. Ms. Penny was a beautician and worked at the Highland View Cuiahoga Co. Hospital until her retirement. Those left to mourn her loss and cherish her memory her son Owens Penny; two sisters; grandchildren; great-grandchildren; family and friends. Arrangements were made by Penn Funeral Home. Funeral services were held at New Hope Missionary Baptist Church with rev. Virgil Humes officiating. Interment followed at Knollwood Memorial Park.

STEINHAEUER, MERRILL RICHARD, 67, of Westland, passed away January 21. Loving father of Melissa (Harold) Webster

and Mark (Jennifer) Steinhauer. Dear brother of Jerry Steinhauer. Beloved grandfather of Jeremiah Webster, Shelby Webster, Katey Steinhauer and Emily Steinhauer. Funeral services were held at Uht Funeral Home with Rev. Rob Joy officiating. Interment followed at Southern Michigan Services, Livonia.

WILDER, MARION "BABE", 65, of Belleville, went to be with the Lord February 2. His loving family was by his side. He fought a courageous two year battle with pancreatic cancer, keeping a strong faith in his Lord and Savior. Loving husband of Dorothy "Jeannie" (Tournier) Wilder. Beloved father of Beth (Mark) Shelp and Ben Collins, both of Belleville. Dear son of the late Marion and Vernie (Cinnamon) Wilder. Dearest brother of Earl Wilder of Ypsilanti, Dallas (Tina) Miller of Ypsilanti, Mary (Mag) Keens of Ypsilanti, and Catherine (Glen) Dudley of Belleville. Preceded in death by his brothers Faris and Olkin Wilder. Mr. Wilder was a graduate from Roosevelt High School in Ypsilanti. He also served in the U.S. Army. He worked for Delco Products in Livonia (formerly Chevrolet Spring and Bumper). He was also a member of the Maranatha Baptist Church in Belleville and was a Mason for many years. He was very devoted to his family and friends. His family would like to extend thank yous to all their friends, neighbors, and church family for all of their prayers, calls, and cards. A special thank you to their Pastor for all of his help during this time. Funeral services were held at David C. Brown Funeral Home with Pastor Paul Bostwick officiating. Interment followed at Hillside Cemetery, Belleville. Memorial contributions can be made in his honor to the American Cancer Society or the Arbor Hospice.

WILLIAMS, CLARA, 96, of Romulus (born in Monticello, AK to Sylvester and Annie Matthews), passed away January 25. She was the oldest living member of her family and was also the family historian. She was called from labor to reward and leaves to celebrate her homegoing her nieces Annette and Thelma; five great-nieces; great-greats; family and friends. Arrangements were made by Penn Funeral Home. Funeral services were held at Parks Memorial AME Church with Rev. William Phillips officiating. Interment followed at Romulus Cemetery.

WILSON, ANDREA A., 44, of Inkster (born in River Rouge to William and Annie Lou Gibson) passed away January 22. She leaves behind to mourn her passing and to cherish her memory her mother Annie Lou; her father William; her children Nicole and Earnest; one sister; two brothers; family and friends. Arrangements were made by Penn Funeral Home. Funeral services were held at Mt. Carmel Full Gospel Assembly with Bishop R.P. Hall officiating.

ZAIDEL, JULIEN J., 74, of Wayne passed away January 28. Loving father of Jefferie Zaidel, Cynthia Zaidel, and Lynda (Douglas) Cook. Dearest brother of Chet Zaidel, Ted Zaidel, and Clara Martin. Loving grandfather of Jefferie Zaidel, Mitchel Zaidel, and Cylyn Zaidel. Funeral services were held at Uht Funeral Home with Father Mitchell Szarek. Interment followed at Parkview Memorial Cemetery, Livonia.

Engagement Announcement



Congratulations to Amy Lynn Pokerwinski of Belleville, Michigan and Brian Patrick Beatty of Belleville, Michigan. Ms. Pokerwinski is the daughter of Richard and Sharon Pokerwinski of Belleville (Sumpter Twp.), Michigan. She is a graduate of Belleville High School (class of 1995) and Western Michigan University (2000-Elementary Education). She is currently attending Eastern Michigan University for a Masters in Curriculum. She is currently employed by Wayne/Westland Schools as a 1st grade teacher at Hamilton Elementary. Mr.

Beatty is the son of the late Joseph and Nancy Beatty of Belleville, Michigan. He is a graduate of Belleville High School (class of 1993). He is currently employed by M POWER as a Network Operations Specialist. The couple will be married on April 13, 2002 at the First United Methodist Church of Belleville. Officiating the ceremony will be Rev. John Grenfall III and Father Thomas Cusick of St. Anthony Church of Belleville.

Notice is hereby given that Wayne County Regional Educational Service Agency; 33500 Van Born Road, Wayne, MI will receive sealed proposals for Cooling Tower and VAV box Replacement including controls. These are two (2) separate proposals.

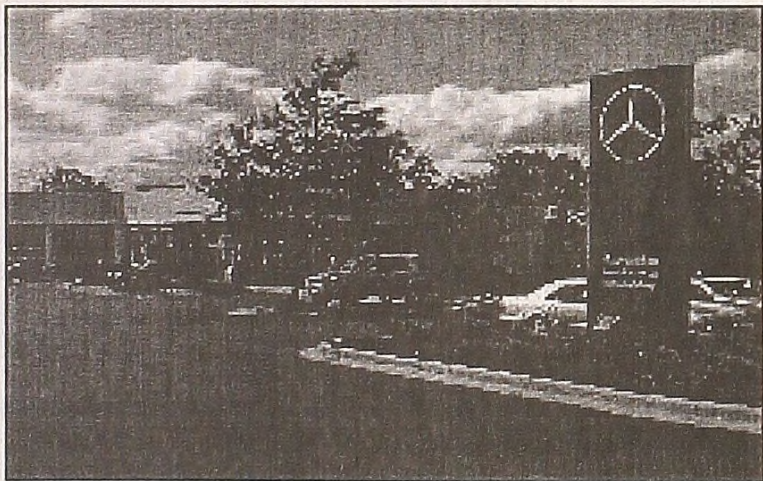
Proposals must be received by February 26, 2002 at 9:00 a.m. Proposals will be opened publicly at 9:30 a.m.

A Pre-proposal meeting and tour of the facilities is scheduled for February 20, 2002 at 12:00 p.m. in room 223.

RFP documents can be obtained February 19, 2002 from the WC RESA - Building Services Department, contact Richard Crosby at (734) 334-1613.

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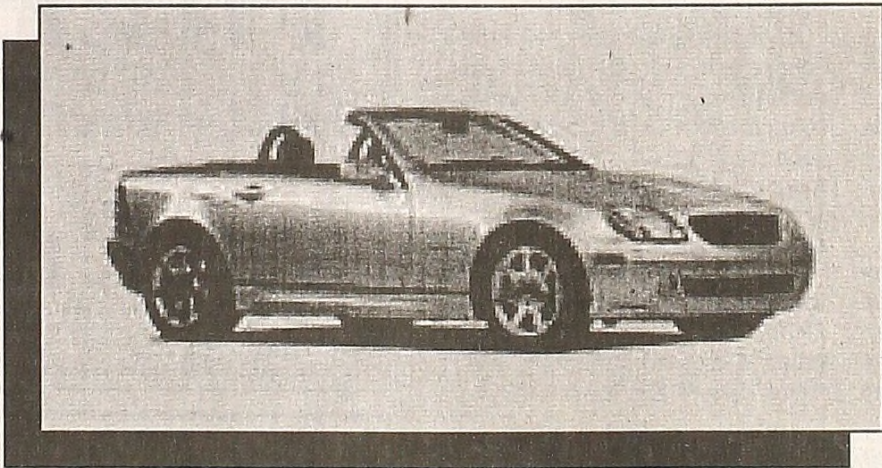
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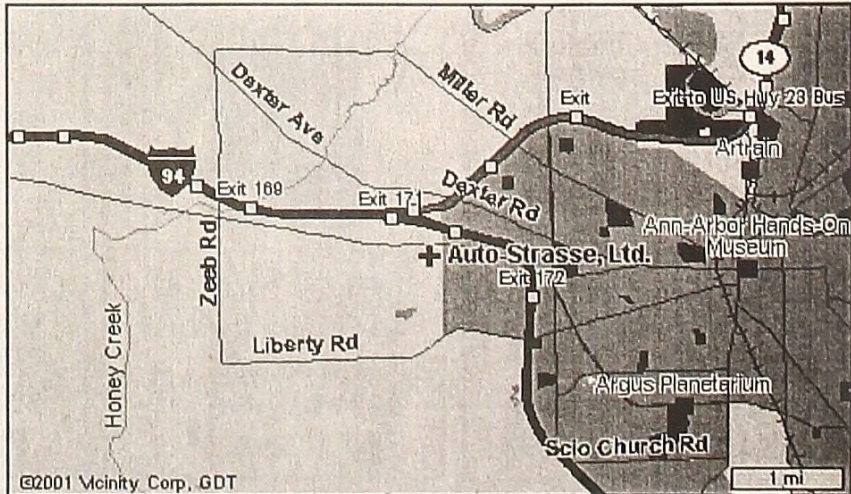
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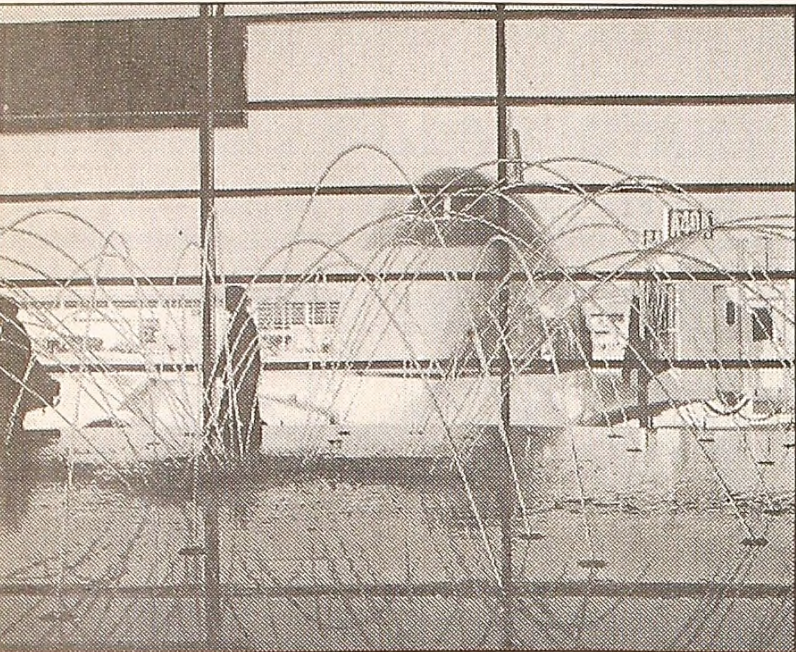
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The Friday noon dedication ceremony featured a video showing off many of the new features of the facility which Northwest Chairman Richard Anderson touted as the finest in the world today.

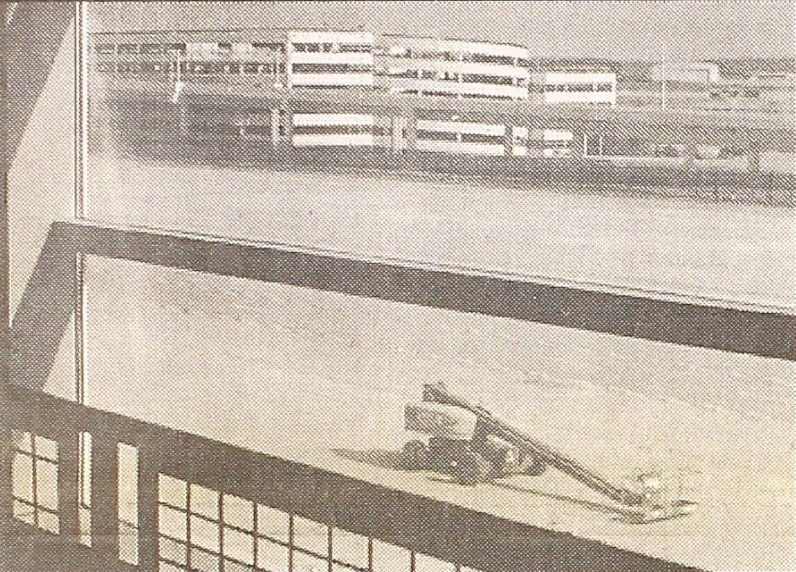
Guests were then treated to a buffet luncheon and given extensive time to view the new terminal and all its attractions. One of the most impressive areas was the Northwest Airlines World Club. This large area had several lounges with fireplaces, work areas, entertainment centers and refreshments areas for members to relax in while awaiting flight connections.

The retail shops were often upscale and the restaurant areas often had specially designed seats, tables and bars for visitors to enjoy.

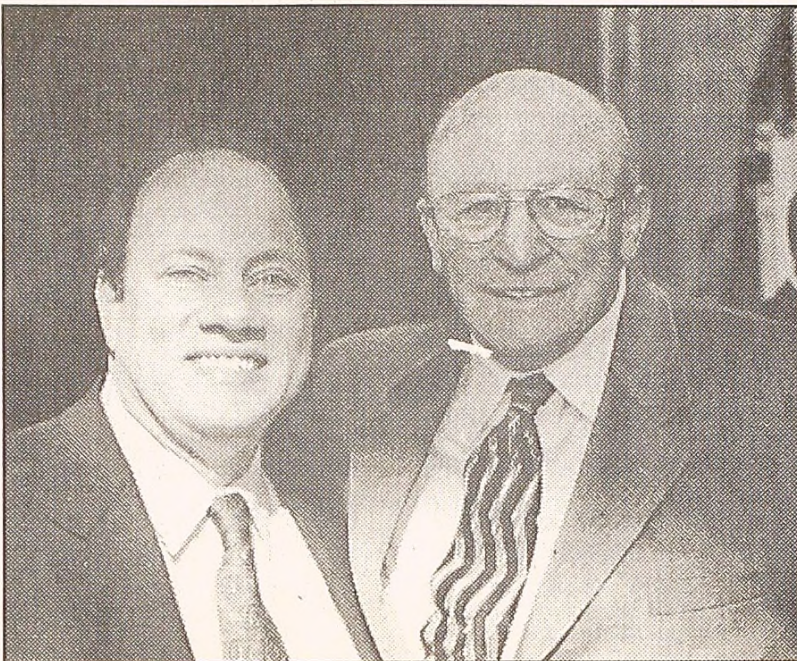
The shuttle train requires riders to stand and moves extremely fast. Guests can expect to be at any of the 78 gates along the one mile Con-

course A in eight minutes or less. Escalators and moving walkways are found throughout the facility and the moving walkways are also found in the parking structure.

The Friday evening "Raise the Roof" fundraising gala event was attended by over 2000 people and raised \$450,000 for the metro area United Fund. Guests at this were treated to many different varieties of gourmet food, outstanding entertainment and a brief ceremony featuring Anderson and McNamara.



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REGULAR COUNCIL MEETING

The City Council met at 7:35 p.m. in the Council Chambers on Tuesday, January 22, 2002 Present: Councilpersons Harris-Foster, E. Hendricks, Bostedor, Coleman-Richardson, M. Hendricks, James and Mayor Hampton. ABSENT: None.

CONSENT Calendar items approved: Minutes from 12/18/01 Special, 1/7/02 Regular and \$89,359.93 for Pension Payroll. PRESENTATION to Judge Sylvia James. APPROVED payments: \$12,248.25 to Milton Spokoyny; \$2,108.00 to Senior Alliance; \$9,727.00 to Michigan Municipal League. APPROVED Regular and Orientation Meeting for 2002; request for Community Development Deputy Director to conduct environmental review; adoption of poverty exemption guidelines. AUTHORIZED solicitation of sealed bids for replacement firearms and ammunition; police 2002 interceptors equipment and dressing; application to the Office of Justice for Violence Against Women Grant; extending contract to Bailey's Lawn Service. AWARDED bids to Dictaphone Corporation, Cingular Wireless, Kim's Contracting and North American Dismantling. FORFEITED three (3) Good Faith Deposits. ADOPTED resolution of support to the Wayne County Community College, Strong Families/Safe Children Initiative, NRP Group to partner with Inkster Senior Services and Wayne Metropolitan Community Action Agency to build single family, market rate homes. DENIED purchase of 3625 Harriet. APPROVED purchase of 26014 Lehigh. Mayor and Council went into Closed Session at 9:34 p.m., and back to Open Session at 10:11 p.m. MEETING adjourned at 10:11 p.m. (Full text available upon request).

Kimberly Turner

Inkster City Clerk

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PUBLIC NOTICE

CITY OF ROMULUS COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT

BLOCK GRAND (CDBG) PROGRAM

2002/2003 PROGRAM YEAR

FINAL STATEMENT

Pursuant to federal guidelines, the City of Romulus decided on February 11, 2002, to submit the following projects for funding from the 2002/2003 Wayne County, Community Development Block Grant (CDBG) Program.

ACTIVITY/Location	FUNDING REQUEST:
Recreation Facility - Citywide Rehab/Replace/construct playscapes, asphalt parking areas, Recreation Bldg. ADA rehab.	\$95,600.00
Senior Services - Citywide Chore/minor home repair services, Transportation, education, Recreation & staffing	\$35,000.00
Street Improvements - Citywide Repair inadequate portions of Concrete pavement, curbs and Sidewalks.	\$35,000.00
Sub-Total	\$165,000.00
Planning (10%) - Towards the Development of a new Master Plan	\$20,700.00
Administration (10%) -	\$20,700.00
TOTAL REQUEST:	\$207,000.00

The City of Romulus can expect to receive approximately \$50,000.00 generated from Program Income from re-paid Housing Rehabilitation liens. The City can expand no more than a maximum of 10% for Administrative costs to operate the CDBG Program.

The above activities will meet HUD objectives by benefiting low and moderate-income families, preserving deteriorating housing stock and enhancing parks and public facilities.

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CITY OF INKSTER

INVITATION FOR BIDS

The City of Inkster will receive sealed bids at the OFFICE OF THE CITY CLERK, 2121 Inkster Road, Inkster, Michigan until 11:00 A.M. Thursday, March 7, 2002 at which time and place bids will be publicly opened and read for the

PROFESSIONAL PAINTING AT INKSTER POLICE DEPARTMENT'S HOLDING FACILITY

Specifications and bid forms are available after 3:00 p.m., February 21, 2002 in the Purchasing Department, 2121 Inkster Road, Inkster, Michigan 48141. Those wishing to view the areas before submitting a bid can contact Sgt. Diaz at (313) 563-9850 ext. #115, Monday through Friday 9:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m.

THE CITY OF INKSTER RESERVES THE RIGHT TO ACCEPT OR REJECT ANY AND ALL BIDS, TO AWARD SPLIT BIDS, TO WAIVE ANY IRREGULARITIES AND ACCEPT ANY BID IT MAY DEEM TO BE IN THE BEST INTEREST OF THE CITY.

Kimberly Turner, City Clerk

2121 Inkster Road

Inkster, Michigan 48141

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City of Inkster

Public Notice

On December 4, 2001, The City of Inkster released a new zoning map to the public. The legend on the map had a typographical error which indicated that the B-3 District, was a Light Industrial District and that the M-1 District, was a General Business District.

The correct zoning on the map legend is B-3, General Business District and M-1, Light Industrial District. If you purchased a zoning map between December 4, 2001 and January 15, 2002, with proof of purchase (receipt) a new one will be issued at no cost at the City of Inkster, Building Department.

The zoning districts were correctly identified and listed in the City of Inkster Zoning Ordinance, which became effective on December 4, 2001.

The City of Inkster would like to apologize for any inconvenience that this may have caused. If you have any questions, please feel free to contact The City of Inkster, Community Development Department (313) 563-9760.

Richard Wooten, Director

Planning and Economic Development

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CITY OF ROMULUS

NOTICE

2002 BOARD OF REVIEW

To the taxpayers of the City of Romulus: The Board of Review will meet in the Romulus City Hall, Community Room, 11111 Wayne Road, Romulus, MI 48174 on the following dates and times by APPOINTMENT ONLY for the purpose of reviewing the assessment roll.

Meeting dates are as follows:

March 11, 12, 13, 2002:	9:00am - 12:00pm & 1:00pm - 4:00pm
March 14, 2002:	2:00pm - 4:00pm & 5:00pm - 9:00pm

Commercial/Industrial

March 15, 2002:	9:00am - 12:00pm & 1:00pm - 4:00pm
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Tentative ratios and estimator multipliers are as follows:

Classification	Ratio	Multiplier
Commercial	50%	1.0000
Industrial	50%	1.0000
Residential	50%	1.0000
Developmental	50%	1.0000
Personal	50%	1.0000

Review is by appointment only

Residents and Non-Residents of the City seeking a review of their assessment may appeal "IN PERSON" at these meetings or appeal by letter. The Board of Review MUST receive all letter appeals no later than March 15, 2002.

Property owners may appoint and authorize a representative to appear on their behalf. All Representatives or Agents MUST submit proof of authorization to act on behalf of the property owner as a prerequisite to appeal to the Board of Review.

If you desire an appointment, please call the City of Romulus, Department of Assessment at (734) 942-7520 between the hours of 8:00 am. - 6:00 pm. Monday thru Friday.

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March 7, 2002

Belleville family lucky despite house fire

I can't think of a worse disaster than having your home burn to the ground. That's what happened to the Greg and Julie Raymond family in Belleville. The Quirk Road home that they and their three children had moved in to five years ago was left totally uninhabitable after a ferocious fire ripped through the house a couple of weeks ago.

Thank God no one was injured. Only Greg was home at the time of the fire and he managed to escape the blaze unharmed. Their three children were staying with friends because the Raymond's had been without power for several days due to the winter storm that knocked down power lines.

The Raymonds have endured a string of bad luck that didn't stop with the fire. Last January, "Max", the beloved family dog, was run over and killed by a drunk driver. Their kids distraught by the news, had their spirits lifted when mom and dad went out and bought another dog. Unfortunately that dog died in the house fire.

In the early morning after the house fire, Greg and neighbors were awakened by looters fishing through the burned out rubble. Can you imagine the audacity of people. The house is still smoldering, the family is spending their night in a hotel room, and their belongings are being taken by looters.

Two days later, the Raymonds got a call at

the hotel from neighbors.

Teens had broken in to the garage (the unattached building had not been burned) and were trying to steal items that were stored there.

Then, the next day, parishioners from a local church stopped by to drop off \$200 in cash they had collected for the family. At the same time a couple of insurance adjusters were present. Greg graciously accepted the donation, then set it down on a table. Fifteen minutes later when he went to pick it up, it was gone.

For every bad deed, however, the Raymonds have been recipients of good deeds. For instance, Julie remembers a total stranger walking up to her in Wal-Mart, and handing her what she thought was a \$10 bill. Later, when she took a closer look, it was a \$100 bill.

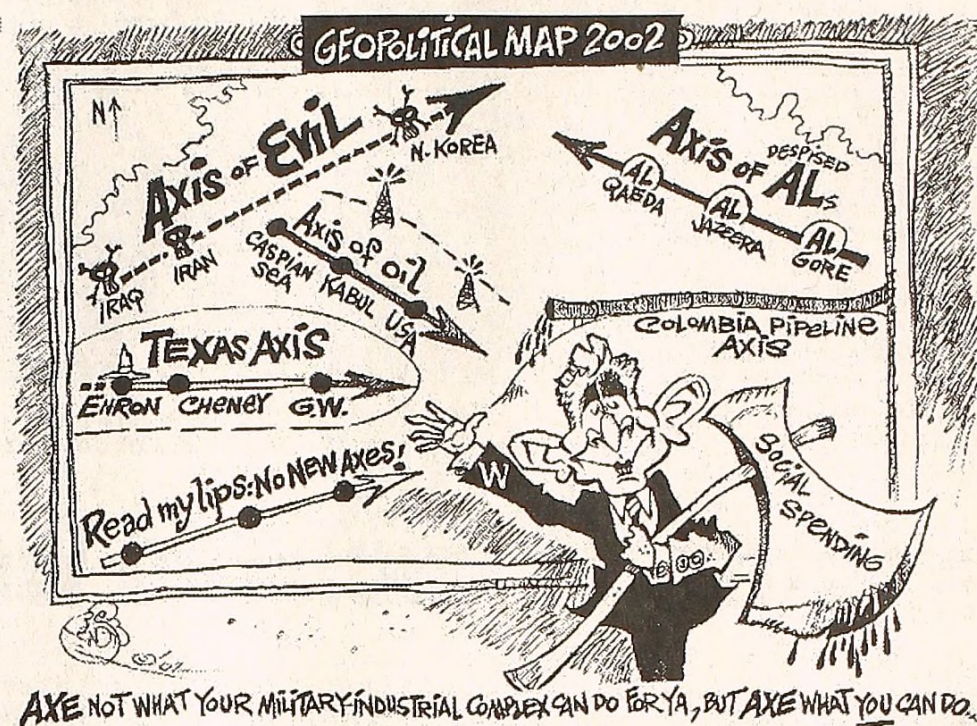
And then there are the good people at Walt Michal's RV. They donated a camper in which the family of five can live in, on their property, until their house is reconstructed. Estimates insist it will take four months for the reconstruction.

Times have been tough, but the Raymonds continue to have an upbeat attitude. "I love living here. I have wonderful neighbors," claims Julie. "We are very lucky."



Mike's musings

Mike Wilcox



AXE NOT WHAT YOUR MILITARY INDUSTRIAL COMPLEX CAN DO FOR YA, BUT AXE WHAT YOU CAN DO.

Long live Central's traditions

Rule of the thumb when picking a school for your children: campuses with great traditions — hallowed halls and ivy walls — mark great places of learning.

Think Harvard, Princeton, or the University of Michigan.

Think Cranbrook or Eton, as in the Duke of Wellington's tribute: "The battle of Waterloo was won on the fields of Eton."

Gothic traditions prompted Chelsea Clinton to follow her father's footsteps to Oxford.

Skull and Bones rituals moved George Bush to follow his father to Yale.

Sacred traditions inspired Martin Luther King Jr. to follow his father to divinity school.

The pattern appears true for the ages: universities and prep schools are as great as their traditions.

The pattern probably holds because long traditions and advanced learning are characteristic of healthy nations and civilizations, because preserving a civilization's knowledge is part and parcel of preserving the rest of a civilization's heritage, and because traditions help bond different generations to their shared knowledge and heritage.

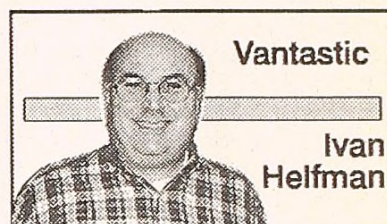
Great schools acknowledge this by giving a helping hand to children of alumni. Alumni acknowledge this by generously contributing big bucks to their alma mater and tailgating to its football games.

If your school had a tradition, then you're probably a Spartan or a Wolverine for life. And your life is richer for it.

Which brings me to endangered Central Middle School (formerly Plymouth High School and the Seminary), the Plymouth-Canton district's most tradition-laden school. The district's only school with memories for grandparents and grandchildren to share and compare.

Because Superintendent Kathleen Booher proposes to "re-purpose" Central into who knows what, the district will no longer have a direct link to its 19th century heritage.

Not only will four and five generation Central families not live to see a sixth, but those sixth generation will go out into our increasingly rootless society with one less root. Central families' descendants will have no memories of the schools' lunchroom cliques or principals' quirks to share or to bind their characters to the 140-year community narrative.



Vantastic

Ivan Helfman

Next Tuesday, students, parents, former Central students, and citizens wishing to prevent the district from deliberately acquiring amnesia or lobotomize its communal mind have an opportunity to dissuade Booher from destroying their heritage.

Perhaps the school board can be convinced to allow the middle school and its traditions to thrive for another century.

Or if the middle school can't be saved from a "re-purposing" worse than communal death, perhaps the district can donate the school to Country Day or another outstanding private school to setup shop in Central without renovating the building.

At the meeting, students, parents, former Central students, and caring citizens can ask Booher why she hatched this plan without consulting the public. More importantly, they can ask school board why they let her.

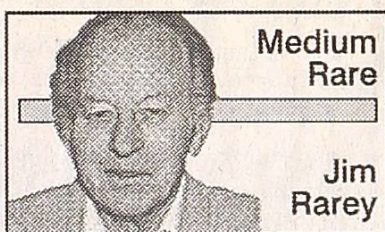
Pols fear recall elections

Evidently state legislators don't like recall elections or at least four of them don't. Last week a bill was introduced in the state House of Representatives by four Republicans that would make it virtually impossible to mount recall elections against incumbent officials who won in the most recent general election.

Representatives LaSata, Julian, Van Woerkom, and Ehardt dropped a bill in the hopper (HB 5185) that would require a recall against an official to obtain more votes for recall than the official received in his last election victory.

At first blush that sounds almost reasonable until you consider that in most special elections (of which recalls are one) the voter turnout is less than one third of that in general elections. It is likely, even if every one who voted in the recall favored it, the total vote would still be less than the official's winning total in the general election. This fact certainly must have crossed the minds of the four legislators who may have something to fear from the voters if they didn't before.

A lot of people vote for their party's candidate in general elections



Medium Rare

Jim Rarey

without knowing too much about the candidate. This is true for both Republicans and Democrats. If this bill were to be adopted, the following situation could occur. A person who voted for the official in the general election, but changed his mind on the basis of new information, would have his vote for recall canceled by his own earlier vote in the general election. It's not certain this is an unintended effect of the bill.

The bill would also limit the reasons for a recall election. It states, "Each reason for the recall shall be limited to issues that cannot be overturned by board action or if no other political recourse is available." If you're not sure what that means, you are not alone. It would leave it up to a county board to decide if the reason is valid. Current law only requires that the reason be stated so

as to be clearly understood. County boards, at times, even play games with that requirement.

For instance, if certain city council members voted to raise utility rates, and that was a reason given for the recall, the county board could say that's not valid because the council could overturn it. The operative word here is "could." The fact that the council refuses to overturn the rate increase would be irrelevant.

Elected officials at all levels in the state will no doubt back these restrictions on recall elections. Some are already on the record as claiming the threat of recall negatively affects their performance. Translated, that means they are afraid the voters would not approve of what they are doing or want to do.

If this bill is to be stopped, it will take the voices of ordinary citizens flooding Lansing with telephone calls, letters and E-mails. Recall elections are an important part of the checks and balances built into the state constitution. However, the legislature has the power to gut it if they are allowed.

Write your way into my column

By BEN E. JET
MCN Staff Writer

I never wrote a book review before and I can't recall ever being mentioned in a book before either. I'm thinking pretty much anytime someone mentions me in a book, I should mention them and the book in the column.

The book, *Sports Talk* by Alan Eisenstock (Pocket Books/Simon & Schuster, 262 pages \$25), takes you on a journey inside the world of sports talk radio.

Mr. Eisenstock not only takes the reader behind the scenes of the radio stations — the staff, the station managers, the studios and the callers — but looks at the hosts, their families, their homes, their motivations.

From Chicago to Miami, from Boston to Los Angeles, be it a cult or a national phenomenon, sports radio is alive and exciting.

The book, a must for anyone interested in broadcast journalism, is filled with entertaining tales of the hosts and how they got where they

are today. It paints a picture of radio few outsiders will ever see.

And it mentions a guy from Detroit who has become a famous sports radio caller who goes by the name Ben E. Jet.

More stuff:

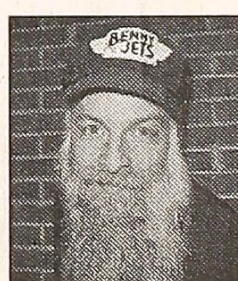
Heard from Debbie, who used to live in our area but now lives in Ishpeming, Michigan.

Debbie says she loves the column and reads it on the Internet via www.micromnews.com.

She misses our festivals and parades, the Westland Shopping Center, and Daly's hamburgers.

Debbie reports Ishpeming is no longer the little town Sunny Elliot used to make fun of on the TV weather reports. They now have a Wal-mart and a Burger King.

Got a message from our friend



Ben E. Jet

and photographer Don Nicolson. He is working with a group of people putting together a 30th class reunion for Livonia Churchill's classes of 1971, 1972, and 1973.

Any others may attend, but they are trying to make it for Churchill's original three graduating classes.

A lot of Churchill students also attended Nankin Junior High.

The reunion is being held July 5 at the Holiday Inn Laurel Park. A picnic follows on July 6, somewhere in Hines Park. Though the picnic spot hasn't been pinned down, wouldn't it be fun to meet back at the Horse-shoe.

Tickets for the reunion are \$45 per person and can be purchased from Churchill Reunion, P.O. Box 150218, Grand Rapids, MI 49515-0218 or at <http://www.lunarpages.com/chsreunion>.

For more information or to contact Ben E. Jet, call (313) 730-1627 or surf to WWW.BENNYANDTHEJETS.COM. Hear Ben E. at 8:10 p.m. every Wednesday with JT the Brick on Fox Sports Radio 1310 AM.

Family-raising could be an Olympic event

By KAREN MEIER
MCN Special Writer

Raising many children means doing things in multiples — everything increases exponentially. Of course, there is the doubling and tripling of ingredients in recipes, and the necessary three, four, five loads of laundry every day, and sorting that laundry into eight, nine, ten piles which then are transported to various rooms and tucked into numerous drawers.

And there are multiples of garbage cans to take out to the curb every Monday morning, way more than the neat retired couple across the street. There is the great line up of multiple bread slices on the counter each morning to make the school lunches, the shoe store display of boots just inside the front door on snowy days, and the multiple battles waged to fight those germs that seek out children.

Last Tuesday is a good day to illustrate my point: many children = multiples, exponential multiples, complex equation multiples warp six factor windchill of the pluperfect, sayonara, cheezwhiz.

Fever/Cough was home from school that day. Sending Fever/Cough into the world would not have been nice, for the child or the world. So home he stayed. Which meant multiple phone calls to various schools and teachers in order to reschedule the art presentations I was to make that day. Also to alert the school and the bus driver of Fever/Cough's absence. Also to the doctor to alert him of Fever/Cough's condition. A visit was recommended.

The appointment time came around, right after Little Cough got off the bus. I packed up the two little brothers and away we went. The doctor's office parking lot was jam packed with cars and huge, mountainous

snow piles. Neither of the little ones had it in his head to walk the distance from the van to the front door of the doctor's office. So feeling like this should be a new event in the Olympiad, I ran with a 32 pound weight in one arm and a 42 pound weight in the other over icy, snow-pile, from the back 40 parking lot to the doctor's building.

What an event that would be! At the Olympics! Running, jumping, slipping, heaving, ho'ing! A three-man team. I'm pretty sure, though, we would have gotten a deduction for the lens popping out and the frames crooking in Fever/Cough's glasses. Not good.

Anyway, turns out after all that, Fever/Cough had nothing serious. So away we went, destination: Glasses Fix It place. But before I could get there, my cell phone (I never thought I'd see the day when I would have a cell phone — but that nasty ditch ex-

perience in early January changed all that), anyway, my cell phone rang. I answered it. It was the school nurse informing me that I should come immediately to school to pick up my pretty sick child.

The one with tears streaming down his face and his head in a very painful state. So off the two littlest ones and I went to pick up the sick brother.

I wondered at that point how my other three children were doing. The logistics and the math were getting too complicated in all of this. And then the dog's stitches were needing to come out and the gas bill looked all big and suspicious and we were all out of milk.

The balance of the week proved that Tuesday, the complicated day, could be replicated to some degree. There were, for this Mom of several children, multiples of Tuesday last week.



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LETTERS FROM OUR READERS

Day may come when you need help too

To the editor:

There are an estimated 1,800 members that belong to the Friendship Center. They all joined the center for various reasons.

For some, it was to play cards five times a week. For others, they simply enjoy the billiard room, exercise room, choir, lunch that is served daily, the book club, writing class, and jazzercise. For the most part, they come for the companionship of other seniors, and staff. As someone most poignantly said, "My home away from home." Recently, there has been much controversy over the Caribbean Cruise that is planned to depart on Sunday, March 3, 2002.

In all honesty, I understand the callousness in some individuals. I say that with no disrespect in mind; however, I would like to explain my thoughts.

I have heard many remarks both pro and con for why the trip should or should not be escorted. I believe both sides have valued opinions. But from my perspective, I will say this. For some adults, each morning is a struggle to get out of bed. The fact that they still have the ability to walk and to drive to the center is more of a blessing than you might realize.

I don't have one assigned job. I am not self appointed in anything; however, if at the end of my day I find that I have been a very good listener, a great hug-giver, and a good friend. If my sole function at work is to save someone's life today, then I have set forth and accomplished my goal.

You see many older adults in the center have cancer, panic attacks, suffer from loneliness, arthritis, diabetes, and other disabling diseases. The Friendship Center offers many programs and services to help meet the needs and concerns of older adults. For someone to say to any older adult: Can't you walk yourself through an airport? Can't you function on your own? Do you have to be lead around like a baby? Or, why are

you taking that trip? What about my inheritance?

Well, to those and others I say this, "There are people who are suffering from the terrible emptiness of losing a loved one, have had traumatic events occur, have recently gone through a divorce or separation, have been long term caregivers, lost their health, undergone major surgery, have discovered a terminal illness and have thoughts of suicide.

It gives us great satisfaction and a wonderful feeling of accomplishment when an older adult feels they can confide in us, that together we have built a strong bond and trusting relationship between us, and that they feel they have a new dawn, a new reason to begin the day and a goal to work toward.

If we can encourage an older adult to venture out, take a trip, help or encourage them to do something that they wouldn't ordinarily do on their own, then we have succeeded in improving their quality of life, which is our major goal.

For those of you that can still travel alone, who don't need assistance, wonderful! But your day may come.

To look at anyone, you see a whole, normal person. But I guarantee you under that normal exterior are problems, hurts, and situations that you know nothing about.

There are a variety of reasons why seniors or older adults feel that they want to go on a trip escorted by a staff member. Those reasons may be highly personal, possibly stemming from one of the situations listed previously. If you are independent enough to travel alone, then this doesn't really even concern you. You'll travel anyway. But for your insistence that someone not have an escort severely limits their choices.

We are in the business of opening up opportunities not stifling opportunities.

Thank you,
Doris Silcox

Always a Great Lady

To the editor:

To the coward who used Sound Off to run down Richard and Cheryl LeBlanc. What's wrong, are you afraid to sign your name?

As far as Cheryl LeBlanc is concerned, she is a great lady and will always be a great lady. She should not be ashamed to tell the truth about her husband. You are the one who should be ashamed to even spout off your mouth and not sign your name. As for Richard LeBlanc, he says what he thinks and stands by what he says,

which is more than I can say for some people. He has more honesty and integrity in his little finger than you have in your whole body.

This is one couple who can hold their head high and look everyone straight in the eyes without any shame whatsoever. So, whoever you are, the next time you decide to run somebody down sign your name so we will all know who you are.

Deane Seber
Westland

School News



Open House

Health Occupation students Holly Hunt and Tracy Shaw host at Wayne-Westland's Career-Tech Center's winter open house and career fair last week. The center, which provides vocational training for students and adults, put 22 career programs on display.

School funding restored

By BRENDA GRACIN
MCN Special Writer

In a move that surprised area school district administrators, last Wednesday Gov. John Engler announced a \$200 increase in per-pupil funding for the next school year.

However, many school administrators say that this money had previously been awarded as part of a three-year school aid package, and that Engler is simply restoring what he was going to take away.

Sharp cuts were expected in many districts across Michigan when Engler earlier said he would not increase funding because of an expected \$1-billion state revenue shortfall.

Now with \$489 million expected in July after school property taxes collections moved from winter to summer, the money will be there for the districts a year earlier. However, Westland had previously adopted a summer tax collection, so Westland homeowners will not be affected.

A total of \$132 million in funding will be given to 88 districts across the state of Michigan. Saying that schools are a priority, Engler said he will avoid further cuts.

Plymouth-Canton will get back over \$3 million, which will help the district open a new high school next year.

"Obviously, we are very pleased to see that the Governor has decided to honor the commitment to the districts through the State Aid Act," Plymouth-Canton Finance Director Patricia Brand said. "It will make life much easier in dealing with our 2002-2003 school

year. Anticipated cuts will not have to be made."

In Wayne-Westland, Superintendent Greg Baracy said, "I am very pleased that the Governor and the State Legislature are going to honor their promises to provide three-year funding for the school aid bill."

Had most of the money not been restored, Baracy had expected to propose smaller cuts than some other districts because, he said, the district's budget has already been cut for the last seven years.

"We had to trim \$10 million from our budget due to Proposal A," he said.

Proposal A cost Wayne-Westland almost 10 mills, more than any other school in the state of Michigan, he said.

But not all of the state funding money was restored, Baracy said. Districts lost money for the ASAP-LAP, a remedial reading program that Baracy vows to keep, finding the money elsewhere.

"It is essential that our children know how to read by the third grade," he said. "If they do not, they cannot pass tests, learn math, history or other subjects."

Karl Gorham, president of the Van Buren school board said: "We are certainly pleased the foundation will allow us to keep programs that will benefit our kids. We would have been faced with doing something. It would have changed our five year plan, now we can go forward. Van Buren still falls far short in comparison to other districts with state aid."

Sound Off Extra

Old days, with backyard hoops and skate rinks, were a richer experience

Loved the editorial about the backyard skate rinks.

We didn't have one, but my brothers played on one down the street. Also our court was used for baseball games made of up neighborhood teams (including the girls) and went on until the street lights came on.

Maybe it was because so many homes had large families, one car, and little spare money, but all in all it was a richer experience.

'Theatric' flag lady accused of wrapping herself in Old Glory

Could the self-styled flag lady please give it a rest? I'm sure I'm not the only one who resents who theatrics.

Her accusations against the former mayor seem to be politically motivated — and only politically motivated.

What is that old saying? Something about the last act of a scoundrel is to wrap himself — or in this case, herself — in the flag?

'Sexual discrimination' forced Gronas to leave while Eadeh stayed

I think it was sexual discrimination when Mrs. Gronas got escorted out of the Westland City Council meeting, yet Mr. Eadeh, who stood up and blantly said he didn't care how his behavior was perceived, got to stay, even making fun of her water concerns as she left the room. No respect for his elders.

Sorry, but as a former councilman he should have used some restraint. What a spectacle, Mr. Eadeh.

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Only Rawson or Thayer (whoever they are) are heard in your paper

Funny, you only publish one side if some one has an opposite point of view, that story is not told. Seems that you also only want negative stories, not one that see the positive side or has an opposite point of view about the Wayne-Westland transportation bully story.

You must have to be a Rawson or Thayer to get anything in your paper.

Caller says it's hard to get an appointment with Romulus Mayor Lambert

Because of my [purported] employment with the city I could not give my name. I hope you will still display this in your paper, as I feel the people of Romulus should be aware of what is happening.

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In the meetings he attends at city hall, there is always someone there as his so-called mouthpiece. Where is this city headed?

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Belleville, Salem win conference titles

Tigers, Rouge co-champs

Belleville had all of the Mega-Red basketball championship in its hands, and let part of it go.

After knocking off always troublesome Romulus 44-43 on Tuesday for a victory that clinched a share of the 2001-2002 Mega Conference Red Division basketball title, all Belleville had to do was to beat Willow Run Friday night for all of the title.

But Coach Mike Krogel's Tigers looked like anything but a champ, when it took the floor against a wounded Willow Run, which was coming off of a heartbreaking loss to Wayne Memorial.

The Flyers put up a 6-5 record against the Tigers, who entered the ring with a 14-2 mark. But before the smoke cleared, it was Willow Run who was left standing with a 56-51 victory which forced Belleville to fork over a share of the conference crown to River Rouge.

Rouge also had beaten the previously undefeated conference leader two weeks ago.

"Our destiny was in our hands," said Krogel, after the disappointing loss to the Flyers. "We have no one to blame but ourselves.

"We just didn't play well in that first half and that cost us half of the title."

But it was the first half against Romulus that definitely clinched it for the Tigers. Playing on the Eagles' turf, Belleville worked its way to a 14-6 lead as James Holmes and Jerriel Burrus led the visitors. The Tiger lead widened to 11 at half-time as the champs outscored their hosts 12-9 and lifted them to a 26-15 advantage at half-time.

Although Romulus's sophomore center Ron Coleman kept the Eagles within striking distance, the Eagles never could make up for their lackadaisical first half performance. The Tigers outscored Romulus 14-12 in the third period to fend off any rally attempts and wrapped up the championship with the 53-44 victory.

Coleman, one of the finest all-around prep prospects in the area, finished with a game high 18 points for the Eagles who also connected on 14 of 21 free throws.

Holmes' 19 points were tops for the champs, while Burrus collected 12 for the Tigers who also capitalized on 15 of 19 from the free throw line.

Friday night, Coach Guy DelGuidice's Eagles almost did Krogel a favor. The Eagles came within seven of upsetting Rouge, the league's reigning co-champ.

Romulus led early, but balanced Rouge scoring generated by Lou Hamilton, erased the Eagle lead and gave the host a 17-13 edge after the first period. Both teams scored 17 points in the second period, giving the Panthers a 34-30 advantage at half-time. Rouge increased the margin to nine (50-41) before the Eagles came back and closed the gap to six.

Coleman again topped the Eagles

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Westland John Glenn's Darnell Wilson (50) is a step up on a Livonia Stevenson defender and also on the way to two of his 24 points scored against the then Western Lakes Conference co-leader. Coach Joel Lloyd's Rockets upset Stevenson, 58-46, to help themselves to a fifth of a share of the Western Lakes Conference, Lakes Division title. The title was split five ways this season as five of the six teams in the division finished with 3-2 records. In the photo above, at right, Glenn's Jerret Smith (20) managed to get off a short jumper despite the fact that he is encircled by Stevenson defenders. With the regular season behind them, high school basketball teams turned to conference championships this week before they are struck by "March Madness." Photos by Bryon Lee



Rocks get help from John Glenn

Receiving unexpected but welcomed help from Westland John Glenn in the form of a Glenn victory over conference co-leader Livonia Stevenson, Plymouth-Salem captured the 2001-2002 Western Lakes Conference regular season basketball championship.

The Rocks began play for the conference's playoff trophy Tuesday night.

Salem and Stevenson went into Friday night's games sharing the conference lead. Each had 8-2 records. While coach Bob Brodie's Rocks crushed Farmington 69-35, Stevenson faltered and found itself in a battle of survival for its share of the conference title. The Spartans lost to an upset-minded Glenn, 58-46. The loss dropped the Spartans out of first and moved them, with Glenn, into second place in the final conference standings.

Stevenson's loss also created a historic first in the Lakes Division of the Western Lakes Conference. For the first time, five of the six Lakes teams: Plymouth-Salem, John Glenn, Livonia Stevenson, North Farmington and Walled Lake Central tied for first place. All finished with identical 3-2 divisional records.

"This has never happened before, and it reflects how balanced this division and the conference was this season," said Salem coach Bob Brodie.

Brodie also wrapped up his sixth conference title over a period of the past eight years.

"It's been an interesting run so far, and it isn't over yet," added the veteran Salem coach.

Brodie did not sweat, as he did at Tuesday night's encounter with Harrison, the Farmington game. His Rocks went to work early.

With 6-4 junior forward Dave Hoskins drilling 24 points and Brad Clark coming off the bench and scoring 10, the Rocks erupted to a 13-9 first period lead and never looked back until they had their ninth conference win in 11 starts. Salem led by eight at half-time, 28-20, before they outscored Farmington 29-6 in the third period to put the game on ice.

However, on Tuesday, the Rocks found themselves in a battle against Farmington Hills Harrison right down to the end. Harrison got a stellar effort out of Steve McElroy, who had 16 points for the game.

Salem came back after trailing 15-14 in the first period and, with Hoskins scoring 11 of his game-high 22 in the second frame, Salem worked its way out of trouble and to a 30-22 halftime lead before going on to post a 50-43 victory.

Pat Abraham joined Hoskins in the double figure scoring column. Abraham tallied 21 points, 10 of which were from the foul line.

Canton captures Western Division title

By TOM MOORADIAN
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Plymouth-Canton wrapped up the Western-Lakes Conference season last week with lopsided victories over Livonia Franklin and Livonia Churchill. The two impressive wins a share of the Western Division basketball championship for sophomore Canton Coach Jeremy Rheault and the Chiefs.

Three teams - Canton, Northville, and Walled Lake Western - finished the Western Division with identical 4-1 records and all have earned a share of the divisional championship.

In the meantime, an unprecedented five teams in the Lakes Division

wound up with 3-2 records and all five teams have a part of the 2001-2002 title.

All five teams will be awarded trophies and individual team members will be presented medals.

Plymouth-Salem, however, earned the conference's regular season title thanks to a 9-2 record.

The Western Lakes Conference began the conference playoffs Tuesday night to determine the conference's playoff champion.

The top four teams in each division will meet to decide the playoff champion: Salem takes on North Farmington in the first round with the winner advancing to the semis where they will engage the survivor of the Livonia Stevenson - Plymouth-Canton game.

Westland John Glenn was scheduled to play Northville Tuesday.

Canton tuned up for the playoffs with a 62-35 victory over Franklin, and a 67-27 thrashing of Farmington.

"I feel that our kids are playing their best ball now," said Rheault, who is finishing his second season as the Chiefs' head coach.

Canton jumped on Franklin early as the Chiefs turned an 18-10 lead into a 36-15 rout at half-time. Rheault had an opportunity to empty his bench early. Canton outscored their visitors 14-10 and 12-10 in the final two periods.

Canton's 6-6 senior center Andrew Meagrow pumped in a game high 16 points and teammate Kyle Lasko added 14. They were the only two

Canton players to score in double figures, although all members of the squad did score. The Chiefs also got nine points from senior guard Billy Gazsi and Jason Priebe chipped in eight.

The Patriots' top scorers were Nick Warra and Hassim Amed who each had nine points. Franklin was a perfect 6-for-6 at the free throws line while Canton canned 11 of 20. With sophomore D. J. Bridges, a 6-3 forward, tossing in 18 points, and Meagrow and Priebe each accounting for 13 points apiece, the Chiefs buried Farmington 67-27. The Chiefs held their rivals to only 11 points (32-11) for the entire first half.

Canton wrapped up the regular season with a 10-7 overall record.

Mega-Red in swim for titles

By TOM MOORADIAN
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Putting the dual meet season behind them, the Mega-Red Division teams will get together at Trenton High School tonight to crown the 2002 Swimming & Diving team and individual event champions.

Wayne, which defeated Belleville on Thursday, but lost to Dearborn last Tuesday, will go into the conference championships hoping to pick up its share of medals. The pre-season favorites, Dearborn and Monroe, are expected to sweep most of the gold.

"We have a shot at a couple of

medals," said Wayne Coach Mike Gruber. "I feel that with our relay teams and in the breaststroke event we should do well," Gruber added.

Dearborn, a perennial state power in the sport, overwhelmed Wayne, 113-72, earlier last week as the Pioneers prepared for the championships. But Gruber's Zebras bounced back and defeated Belleville, 95-90, in their final conference dual meet of the regular season.

The Belleville-Wayne duel went right down to the wire, the final event of the meet, and Wayne emerged with a narrow victory. Gruber selected Kyle Scott, Ryan Frost, Brad Chiasson and Chris Webber for the event.

The foursome responded in the winning time of 3:40.34. Belleville was a stroke behind, finishing second in 3:40.87.

The eight points awarded the first-place relay team clinched the meet as Gruber later pointed out: "We went into the final event with a slim, 87-84 lead. If they had won the event, they also would have taken the meet."

"The kids did an excellent job. They came through to win it," the Wayne coach concluded.

Wayne's Scott, Josh Robb, Andrew Drennen and Matt Peamster also stashed the 200-meter freestyle event away as they churned a 1:40.21 in the victory.

Drennen turned in with a 1:09.86 to win the 100-meter breaststroke.

Wayne also captured the diving board competition as Dennis Hermatz compiled the winning total of 155.75 points.

Scott also gave the Zebras a first place in the 100-meter freestyle event. He touched the wall in 53.75.

Wayne wrapped up the regular season with an overall 5-4 record. The Zebras were 2-4 in their last appearances in the Mega-Red Conference. Wayne has been admitted into the Western Lakes Conference for the 2002-2003 school year. They will be joining natural rival, Westland John Glenn, in that conference.

Inkster is coming of age at right time

Brooks' Vikings win pair of close ones

By TOM MOORADIAN
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With the conference and district playoffs ahead of them and three impressive performances, two of them OT victories behind them, Coach Steve Brooks says that the Inkster Vikings are ready to face the challenges of the post-season.

"I am proud at the way these kids are holding up and playing now," said Brooks, who is completing his second year as head coach at Inkster High. "We only have eight players on the roster, and one of them was injured in our last game. These kids continue to play their hearts out."

For the first time in recent memory, Inkster beat Fordson on the Tractor floor, 71-66, in a game that went into overtime. That was Friday night.

On Wednesday, it also went down to the wire with Mega-White Divisional champ, Highland Park, but this one ended with the Vikings coming out on the short-end of a 58-48. They did pull out a 48-45 victory in OT over Taylor Kennedy during a rare three-game week which Brooks labeled "hectic".

"It's been a very hectic week for this team, but I now feel we have come of age," Brooks added. "We're ready for anyone and anything."

Before the playoffs, however, the Vikings have a date (Tuesday) to host Flat Rock. Then, on Friday, the Mega-Red, Mega-White playoffs will get underway and Inkster (White Division) plays Romulus (Red Division) at 7 p.m. at Romulus in the first-round of the "second-division" playoffs between the two divisions.

Inkster outscored Fordson 14-9 in the overtime to beat the Tractors who blew a four-point lead in regulation. Trailing by four with 2:20 left in the fourth, the Vikings went to work Brandon Dawson was fouled attempting a three-pointer. Dawson stepped to the line and sank all three, lifting the Vikings to within one.

Fordson came back and sank one of two fouls and was up by two points with less than 25 seconds to go when a turnover gave the visitors the ball.

"We set up a play to get Dawson the ball, but it didn't work," recalled Brooks. "we got the shot off and missed. Mitchell (Irvin Mitchell, sophomore) managed to tap it in on the third try to tie the score."

Mitchell also scored the first basket in the OT that opened the door to the Vikings' surge.

Inkster sank nine of 10 free throws in the OT as Duane Jones made four of them. For the game, the Vikings went 15 of 19 at the line.

Morris finished with a game high 23 points. He was followed by Dawson who chipped in 17 points. Jones and Mitchell each had 11.

Inkster had Highland Park on the ropes, but the Vikings couldn't put the Parkers away. The Vikings led 15-14 and 21-26 after the first two periods and held a four-point, 44-40, advantage for three before they ran out of gas.

"We were outscored 18-4 in the final period," said Brooks. "The kids just tired at the end."

Dawson's 12 points were the best the Vikings could produce. Tony French added 10. The champs got 21 points out of Perry Gilbert and Odell White accounted for 14. The Vikings managed to

hold HP's top scorer, Marcus Garner, to four points.

The Vikings blew a 19-0 lead against Taylor Kennedy and needed an overtime to beat their Mega-White opponents. Ahead 21-5 after the first, Inkster failed to score, that's right, failed to score in the second period as Kennedy cut the deficit to 21-18, then grabbed the lead 27-24 for three.

Inkster suddenly came back, thanks to Dawson who scored eight of his game-high 21 points in the fourth quarter to tie the game at 39-all.

In the OT, Jason Hawkins' two free throws with three seconds left sealed the victory.

Glenn leaves its best for the last game

Rockets spoil Stevenson's bid for conference title

Westland John Glenn left its best performance of the 2001-2002 Western Lakes Conference regular season for its last.

Unfortunately for league-leading Livonia Stevenson it came at the Spartans' expense. Glenn knocked off hosts, 58-46 and also knocked them out of first place. The loss cost the Spartans a share of the conference championship but they, along with Glenn, Salem, Walled Lake Central,

and North Farmington will share the Lakes Division championship.

It is a first for the division in which five teams locked on to part of the divisional title.

It happened because of Glenn's refuse-to-lose stubborn determination Friday night. The Rockets roared to an early 22-8 lead as coach Joel Lloyd got balanced scoring from his starting five. With De'Anthony Granberry tossing in six points, and

Darnell Wilson nailing eight of his game-high 24 points, Glenn moved from an 18-8 first period advantage to a 30-19 half-time lead, which they never surrendered.

Despite the 11-point gap at half-time, Stevenson didn't cave in. Steve Bareback and Linden Ivezaj sparked a second half Spartan rally which cut the Glenn lead to eight points (40-32), and the hosts came to within five with four minutes left in the game, but

their slow start proved fatal.

Glenn assured itself of the victory as the Rockets sank clutch free throws down the stretch. They canned nine of 13 in the fourth period and made 12 of 20 at the free throw line for the evening.

In comparison, Stevenson had 18 chances and made only eight fouls.

Wilson, with a game-high 24, was only one of two Glenn players to score in double figures. Granberry scored on-

ly one more basket after putting three in the hoop in the first period. Teammate Darnell Smith also reached double figures. Smith scored 10.

Bartnick finished with a Spartan high of 16 points and Ivezaj added 10 in a losing cause.

To tune up for the finale, the Westlanders took on Livonia Churchill and buried the Chargers Tuesday, 72-42. Wilson led all scorers with 22 points.

In order for the Rockets to finish

second in the conference they needed Walled Lake Western to lose Saturday night. And Western obliged by losing a squeaker in overtime to Farmington Hills Harrison.

With the regular season behind them, Glenn begins its bid for the conference playoff title. They drew a "hot" Northville in the first round (game was played Tuesday night). The winner will advance to the Friday night semifinals.

Shorthanded Canton wins share of wrestling title

Riddled with injuries, shorthanded Plymouth-Canton managed to win a share of the 2002 Western Lakes, Western Division wrestling championship.

"This is a proud and battle-worn team," said veteran Canton Coach John Demsick. "This may not be a great team, but it is a good team."

"We were still licking our wounds from not placing as high as we are used to at the league tournament when they announced that we were co-champs for the division. Obviously we are elated at the final outcome," Demsick offered.

In the past three years, the Chiefs have managed to amass records of 19-6, 15-5, and 14-4.

Demsick also pointed out that the season had its tragic moments.

"The saddest part of this year's league tournament is that one of our senior wrestlers (Mike Bonner) was slammed to the mat and had to be rushed to the hospital where he is being treated for a concussion. Mike likely will be out for the remainder of the season. He has meant so much to all of us. The prayers of the whole team are with him and his family."

Although they finished in a tie for first place in the division, Canton wound up in sixth place in a field of 12 teams at the conference championships. Among the notable performances was that of Phil Rothwell who captured a gold in the 215-pound class.

With his victory in the championship round, Rothwell has managed to extend his victory string to 35 this season.

Also, earning his 100th varsity career win for the Chiefs was 140-pounder Chris Hosey.

Hosey's 100th victory came at the expense of Walled Lake Western's Justin Nazarov, a state qualifier a year ago. In the finals, Hosey was forced to settle for a silver medal.

Two other Canton wrestlers reached the finals and finished in second place. Doy Demsick, a 130-pounder and Shalhein Rajae, a 189-pound wrestler, won silvers. Teammate Rob Schnettler finished third in

the 112-pound class.

The Chiefs also received fourth-place finishes from Steve Hogg (103) and Derek Robinson (135), while Dan Bergsman (125) finished fifth and Mike Siegrist (152) was in sixth. Canton's 119-pounder Corey Breitmeyer accounted for a seventh-place finish.

The Junior Varsity Conference competitions yielded two Plymouth-Canton champs in 130-pounder Kyle Burns and 189-pounder Jimmy Kral. Steve Hosey reached the championship

round in the 135-pound class and wound up with a second place.

In terms of the team's overall performance, Coach Jay Helm assessed the season this way: "If you consider the fact that we have wrestled the whole year without a heavyweight, that we had one of our wrestlers removed by a slam, and that we have four junior varsity wrestlers in our lineup, then you see that the workload upon the other eight wrestlers is quite significant."

"Our workhorses of the team, some

of whom are just recovering from injuries themselves, have been pulling quite a bit. Then, you realize how impressive this team is. They are an amazing and wonderful group of guys and we are all very proud of them."

In their bid for a regional team berth, however, the Chiefs were eliminated by their natural rivals, Plymouth-Salem, 50-19, at the team district.

The Chiefs managed to survive the first round by defeating Northville, 38-31. Northville had ended the Chiefs' dis-

trict dreams a year ago, ironically, after Canton had defeated Salem.

"We knew Northville would not be able to hang with us," said Demsick. "But Salem did a great job tonight. I love and respect my wrestlers, but Salem wanted it more this time."

Siegrist, wrestling at 152, pinned his peer from Northville, then turned back his opponent from Salem, who had defeated him just a week ago at the conference. Also, Rajae (189) looked strong in beating Northville, 8-0, and he

also pinned Salem's representative at that weight class.

Canton's Richard Demsick, (145), who is returning from reconstructive knee surgery, wrestled up a weight class and he overwhelmed his Northville rival, 13-0, and refused to get pinned against Salem's best, Tony Kinard, a wrestler who should finish among the top at state.

Canton ended its dual meet season with a 15-5 record. The Chiefs will continue at the state individual districts.

Local grapplers advance to regional championships

Local high school wrestlers will join an elite group of their peers this weekend when the Michigan High School Athletic Association stages regional competition at various sites throughout the state.

A score of grapplers representing Belleville, Romulus, Plymouth-Salem, Plymouth-Canton and Inkster will compete for regional medals and the honor to compete at the state semifinals and finals.

Inkster has three, including a district champ, in the regional competitions. Coach Jerome Orr's Vikings will be represented at the regional hosted by Clinton High School by

district champ, Mark Franklin, who won a gold at the 171-pound class. Franklin will take a 26-6 won-lost record to the regionals. Teammate Issac Whitener, a 215-pounder, wound up with the silver after losing in the district finals.

Inkster will also be represented at the regional by Edward Cluke, a first-year wrestler who finished fourth at 189 in New Haven.

Belleville has eight regional qualifiers in heavyweight Caleb Hayfield, James Erickson (130), Joe Caudill (119), Charles Watson (145), Dickson Mann (171), Josh Winekoff (125) and Chris Watson (189).

Hatfield, among the finest prep grapplers to compete for Belleville since the Keith Simmons era, boasts a 36-1 record and is considered one of the top contenders in the state for his weight class.

Belleville, which has a 15-1 record, will face an equally tough opponent in Westland John Glenn (18-2) when the two local teams clash in the opening round for the regional championship this week at Bedford Temperance. The two were scheduled to wrestle yesterday. In the other bracket are host, Bedford, and Ann Arbor Pioneer, which is sporting a 15-6 overall record.



In a season that had its up-and-downs, John Glenn and coach Joel Lloyd (center) were up for the challenge against an excellent Livonia Stevenson ball club Friday night. Lloyd got what he needed from his lineup, a victory that gave the Rockets a part of the Lakes Division championship and also the momentum needed for this week's conference playoffs. Photo by Byron Lee.

TIGERS

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as he fired in 15 points, grabbed nine rebounds in a stellar effort. Teammate Anson Long accounted for 13 points, six steals, three rebounds and three assists. Romulus also got double figures from Charles Searcy, who scored 11 points and Derrick Robinson added 10.

Friday night, the Eagles will entertain Inkster in the first round of the Mega-Red-White playoffs.

Inkster to host basketball tourney

Inkster Parks and Recreation has been designated as one of the hosts for a North American Youth Basketball Tournament.

The tournament will be conducted April 5-7 at the Booker T. Dozier Parks and Recreation Department, Middlebelt Road, north of Michigan Avenue. Recreation officials announced that they still have openings for teams in this tournament.

The tournament will feature 10 different grade-level brackets. They are: 5th-6th grade boys; 5th-6th grade girls; 7th grade boys; 7th-grade girls; 8th-grade boys; 8th grade girls; 9th-10th-grade boys;

9th-10th grade girls; 11th-12th grade boys; 11th-12th grade girls.

Officials say all grades are based on the grade in which a student is currently enrolled.

The entry fee for the tournament is \$95 and guarantees that each team will play in a minimum of two games. There will be awards presented in each bracket.

The registration deadline is March 15.

For additional information or to obtain an entry form, please call Shawn Dugre at 1-888-629-2275 or call Inkster Parks and Recreation supervisor Ruth E. Williams who can be reached at 728-7530.

Charter Township of Van Buren Annual Cemetery Cleaning Notice

The Department of Community Services will be conducting its annual Spring cleaning at all township cemeteries.

Spring-cleaning will start March 2, 2002, and run through March 16, 2002

Receptacles placed on graves such as flowerpots, religious items and similar objects will be discarded if not retrieved by March 2, 2002. The public if, advised that new items may be displayed beginning March 17, 2002.

Van Buren Township provides maintenance for the following cemeteries: Tyler (Tyler and Hannan Roads), Otisville (Riggs Road), Denton (Michigan Avenue and Denton Road) and Soop (South I-94 Service Drive and Denton Road).

Questions may be directed to leader Dan Smith at 734-699-8921 extension 228.

Joannie D. Payne
Township Clerk, CMC

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CHARTER TOWNSHIP OF VAN BUREN BOARD OF REVIEW FOR 2002 ASSESSMENTS

NOTICE TO THE TAXPAYERS AND PROPERTY OWNERS OF VAN BUREN CHARTER TOWNSHIP

The **BOARD OF REVIEW** of the Charter Township of Van Buren will meet at the Township Hall, 46425 Tyler Road, on the following dates:

March 5, Tuesday
10:00 a.m. to 12 noon and 2:00 p.m. to 4:00 p.m.

March 11, Monday
2:00 p.m. to 5:00 p.m. and 7:00 p.m. to 10:00 p.m.

March 12, Tuesday
9:00 a.m. to 12 noon and 2:00 p.m. to 5:00 p.m.

To review property assessments for 2002. Taxpayers/ property owners may file an appeal of assessment(s) to the Board of Review in **WRITING** without personal appearance. **Letters of appeal must be received on or before March 13, 2002.**

Those taxpayers wishing to appeal in person, **please call the Township by March 11, 2002** at 734-699-8946 to set an **APPOINTMENT** to meet with the Board of Review on any of the above dates.

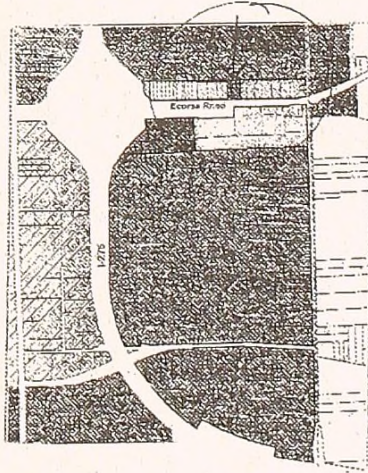
Joannie D. Payne, CMC
Van Buren Charter Township

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CHARTER TOWNSHIP OF VAN BUREN NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING

Notice is hereby given that a public hearing will be held on March 19, 2002 at 7:30 p.m. in the offices of the Charter Township of Van Buren, 46425 Tyler Road, Van Buren Charter Township, Wayne County, Michigan, for the purpose of receiving public comments on the intention of the Charter Township of Van Buren to create and provide for the operation of a Local Development Finance Authority and the provisions of Act 281 of the Michigan Public Acts of 1986, as amended. The boundaries of the proposed Authority District are:

Beginning at the northeast corner of Section 12, T. 3 S., R. 8 E. in Van Buren Township. Wayne County, Michigan, thence southerly along the east boundary line of said Section 12 to the southeast corner of said Section 12; thence southerly along the east boundary line of Section 13, T. 3 S., R. 8 E. approximately 1,920 feet; thence westerly to the west right-of-way line of Hannan Road and the northeast corner of parcel V125-83-049-99-0015-001; thence northwesterly along the south and west right-of-way line of the I-275 Expressway to its intersection with the south right-of-way line of Tyler Road; thence southwesterly along said south right-of-way line of Tyler Road to the northwest corner of parcel V125-83-050-99-0001-000; thence westerly approximately 120 feet to the west right-of-way line of Haggerty Road and the northeast corner of parcel V125-83-053-99-0002-000; thence northerly to the southeast corner of V125-83-044-99-0005-701; thence easterly to the southwest corner of V125-83-047-99-0007-000; thence northeasterly along the north right-of-way line of Tyler Road to its intersection with the west right-of-way line of the I-275 Expressway; thence northwesterly along the west right-of-way of I-275 and east boundary line of parcel V125-83-047-99-0009-000 continuing across Old Tyler Road approximately 100 feet and continuing northwesterly along the east boundary line of parcel V125-83-047-99-0002-700 and the west right-of-way of the I-275 Expressway; thence northwesterly along the west right-of-way line of the I-275 Expressway to its intersection with the south right-of-way line of Ecorse Road; thence westerly along the north boundary of parcel V125-83-046-99-0002-000 and the south right-of-way line of Ecorse Road to the northwest corner of said parcel V125-83-046-99-0002-000; thence westerly approximately 120 feet across Haggerty Road to the northeast corner of pared V125-83-041-99-0001-001; and continuing north along the easterly boundary of parcel V125-83-041-99-0001-714; thence northerly across Ecorse Road to the southeast corner of parcel V125-83-008-99-0044-000; thence easterly across Haggerty Road to the southwest corner of parcel V125-83-003-99-0020-000; thence easterly along the north right-of-way line of Ecorse Road to its intersection with the west right-of-way line of the I-275 Expressway; thence northeasterly along said west right-of way line of the I-275 Expressway to the northeast corner of parcel V125-83-003-99-0007-000; thence east across the right-of-way of the I-275 Expressway to the east right-of-way line of the I-275 Expressway; thence southeasterly along aid east right-of-way line of the I-275 Expressway to its intersection with the northwest corner of parcel V125-83-003-99-0051-001; thence easterly along the north boundary line of parcels V125-83-003-99-0051-001, V125-83-003-99-0053-000, V125-83-003-99-0055-000, V125-83-003-99-0057-000, V125-83-004-99-0010-000, V125-83-004-99-0001-000 through V125-83-004-99-0009-000, V125-83-004-99-0020-700 to the northeast corner of said parcel V125-83-004-99-0020-700; thence easterly across parcel V125-83-003-99-0003-702 to the northwest corner of parcel V125-83-004-99-0022-002, thence easterly along the north boundary of parcels V125-83-004-99-0022-002 through V125-83-004-99-0022-004; thence continuing easterly along the north boundary line of parcels V125-83-004-99-0023-000 through V125-83-004-99-0027-000 to the centerline of Hannan Road wich is the east boundary of Section 1 T. 3 S, R. 8 E; thence southerly along said east boundary line of Section 1, T. 3 S, R. 8 E to the south east corner of Section 1, T. 3 S, R. 8 E and northeast corner of Section 12, T. 2 S, R. 8 E. the point of beginning.



The hearing will provide the fullest opportunity for decision within the customary guidelines of the Board of Trustees regarding the creation and operation of a Local Development Finance Authority by the Township.

Joannie D. Payne, CMC
Township Clerk

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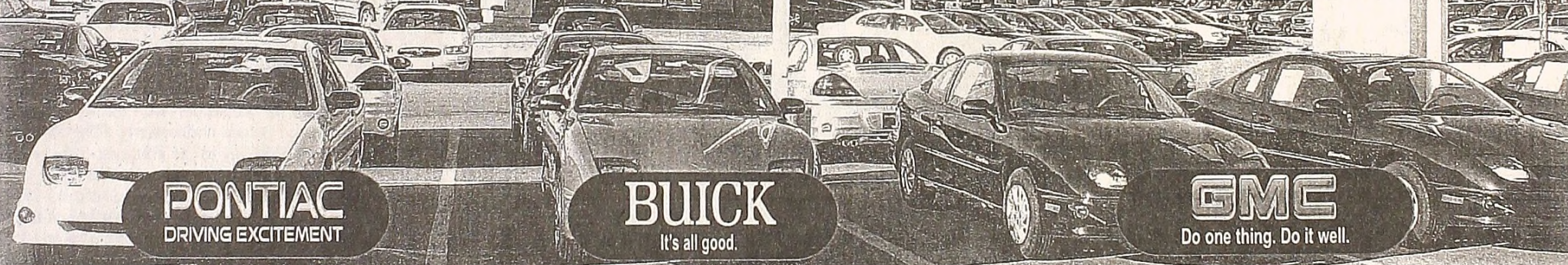
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\$299/mo*	\$24,538.98**

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\$235/mo*	\$17,178.53**

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Sdk. #220126

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LEASE FOR	BUY FOR
\$279/mo*	\$19,803.16**

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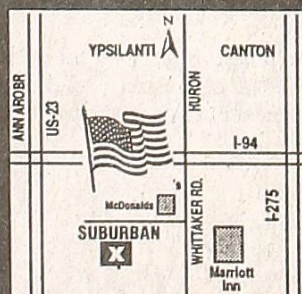
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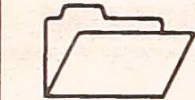
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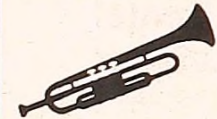
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4. Monuments & Cemetery Lots

Michigan Memorial, 6 lots \$1,000 each. Call 734-955-

6. Legals

Notice of Public Sale

Notice is hereby given by the undersigned that on Feb. 27, 2002 at 9:00 am at J.T./Crova Towing, 36573 Grant Road, Romulus, MI, a public sale of the following vehicles will be held:

Year/Make Model Vin. Number

1990 Mazda MX-6	1YVGD31B3L5202742
1987 Mercury Cougar 2 Dr.	1MEB6037H641331
1990 Lincoln 4 Dr.	1LNCM9749LY828306
1983 Chevrolet Blazer Sta. Wgn.	1G8CT18B2D0155830
1992 Ford Thunderbird 2 Dr.	1FAPP6049NH16560
1983 Mercury Cougar 2 Dr.	1MEBP92F5DH631522
1988 Buick Regal 2 Dr.	2G4WB14W5J1452570
1981 Buick Regal 2 Dr.	1G4AJ7A6BK15620
1984 Buick Lasabre 4 Dr.	1G4AP69YXE931654
1985 GMC Safari Sta. Wgn.	1G5DM15N7FB512973
1988 Ford Escort 2 Dr.	1FAAP2194JW144254
1983 Oldsmobile Delta 88 4 Dr.	1G3AN69A3DM913855
1983 Mercury 2 Dr.	1MEBM62F9JH665661
1989 Plymouth 4 Dr.	1P3BK46D7KC414804
1986 Toyota 2 Dr.	JT2AL32G8G0426156
1990 Mercury Sable	1MECM53U4LG630191
1989 Honda 4 Dr.	1HGED3548KA059173
1986 Ford Escort Sta. Wgn.	1FABP3494GW166176
1989 Chevrolet Corsica 4 Dr.	1G1LT5418KY116273
1989 Ford Escort 2 Dr.	1FAPP9195KW288597
1984 Honda Civic 2 Dr.	JMHAF5334E2012247
1989 Pontiac 6000 4 Dr.	1G2AF51WOK620129
1984 Mercury Marquis 4 Dr.	2MEBP95FLEX654678
1990 Ford Tempo 4 Dr.	1FAPP36X4LK211751
1990 Strick 48' Trailer	1SL12E8480JE308552
1989 Chevrolet Cavalier 2 Dr.	1G1JC1118K1170735
1991 Honda Civic 2 Dr.	2HGED6343MH5552168
1990 Plymouth 2 Dr.	1P3XP44K1LN182389
1991 Toyota Sta. Wgn.	JT3AC11ROM0018667
1995 Dodge Neon 4 Dr.	3B3ES6ST597052
1996 Dodge Intrepid 4 Dr.	2B3HD56F4TH154664
1995 Taurus 4 Dr.	1FALP54P5SA258272
1996 Chevrolet Blazer Sta. Wgn.	1GNCT18W5TK124493
1994 Dodge Intrepid 4 Dr.	1B3ED56T4RF237837
1998 Honda Prelude 2 Dr.	JMBA4228JC047691
1987 Pontiac Fiero 2 Dr.	1G2PE11R6HP212590
1996 GMC	1GKDM19W4TB514000

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CEMETARY PLOTS, side by side in Cadillac Memorial. Must Sell 517-206-8504.

6. Legals

NOTICE

Pursuant to State Law, a sale will be held at:
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(734) 721-4670 on Saturday,
March 16, 2002 at 11:00 am
where the following goods will be sold:
(Sealed Bids Only)

Tenant: Raymond Frank
Unit: 13
Items: TV, record albums, 12 boxes

Tenant: Khadija Miller
Unit: 23
Items: Shelf, christmas tree, clothes, mattress & box springs, chest, bags, 6+ boxes

Tenant: Derrick Rucker
Unit: 84
Items: Desk, boom box, carpet, file cabinet, 2 chairs, lawn furniture, 7+ boxes

Tenant: Don Grace
Unit: 101
Items: 4 toolboxes, air conditioners, parts cabinets, cherry picker, engine stand, transmission, torches & gauges, battery chargers, parts washer, air tank, sawhorses, 15+ boxes, misc. tools

Tenant: Laurie Sammons
Unit: 121
Items: 2 mattresses & springs, couch, bed frame, fridge, dresser, 2 chairs, 2 bags, 10+ boxes

Tenant: Shaun Gillespie
Unit: 220
Items: Couch, washer, dryer, stove, gun cabinet, 8 boxes

Tenant: Karen Godsey
Unit: 232
Items: TV, lamps, fan, chair, bed frame, 6 boxes

Tenant: Don Grace
Unit: 284
Items: 5 chairs, 3 tables, 2 lamps, file cabinet, 17 boxes

Tenant: Sharon Guest
Unit: 294
Items: Leather couch, loveseat, king mattress set, end tables, dresser, bed

Tenant: Raye Anne Jones
Unit: 351
Items: 2 bikes, bird cage, santa, weight bench, exerciser, small fridge, 5 bags, 10+ boxes

Tenant: Darphy Unshaw
Unit: 353
Items: Playboy magazines, 2 TVs, mattress, bike, tables, dresser, chest, clock, clothes, boxes, bags, golf equipment

Tenant: Linda Trent
Unit: 365
Items: Drill press, work bench, pedestal grinder, battery charger, 2 air conditioners, shelving, floor jack, tires, misc. car parts, many boxes

Tenant: Mary Massie
Unit: 386
Items: 31+ boxes

Tenant: Michael Corp
Unit: 523
Items: Micro, TV, cooler, fridge, 2 suitcases, 9 boxes

Tenant: Edward Johnson
Unit: 530
Items: Lawn mower, car ramps, water bed, cooler, tire, VCR, 19 boxes

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LOST Male boxer answers to the name Max. He is brown, black, and white. Last seen in the area of Helen & Trowley and the Cherry Hill & Avondale area.

Missed a lot REWARD!!!!!! CALL 734-721-0327

LOST: Tan & white, Pomeranian, child's dog, near Edgemont Elementary School in Belleville. Please call us at 734-699-3414.

6. Legals

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Year / Make / Vin Number
1986 Ford F-150 PU
2FTHF25Y8GCB48251
1989 Volkswagen Golf 4 Dr.
1VWFA9175KV015300
1984 Pontiac Firebird 2 Dr.
1G2AW87HXEN221178
1989 Eagle Summit 4 Dr.
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1989 Chevy Cavalier 2 Dr.
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1988 Mercury Cougar 2 Dr.
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1982 Plymouth Sta. Wagon
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1985 Oldsmobile Cutlass 4 Dr.
1G3AM1931FD412716
1988 Ford Super Wagon
1FBJS31Y9JHC18448
1999 48 Ft. Trailer
1PT01JLH3Y6002225
Unk. Year Buick Roadmaster 2 Dr.
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1990 Strick 48 Ft. Trailer
1SL12E8480JE308552
1990 Ford Pickup
1FTCR11X1LUA45871
1991 Ford Escort 4 Dr.
1FAPP14J0MW134387
1988 Plymouth Sta. Wagon
2P4FH41K1JR724874
1986 Pontiac 2 Dr.
1G2FW87H1GN207212
2000 Ford Windstar Sta. Wagon
2FMZA5145YB841820

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10. Coming Events

BINGO!
Every Thursday and Sunday Night!
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Sunday Bingo starts at 1 p.m.
Thursday Bingo starts at 6:30 p.m.
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32. Help Wanted

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6. Legals

NOTICE

Pursuant to State Law, a sale will be held at:
STOR-ALL SELF STORAGE
28075 Van Born Rd • Romulus, MI 48174,
on Saturday, March 23, 2002 at 11:00 am
Where the following goods will be sold:
(Sealed Bids Only)

Tenant: Anita King
Unit: A8

Items: Dresser, 2 night stands, dining table and 4 chairs, 2 bikes, 2 end tables, mattress and box spring, clothes, 3 boxes, 1 bag

Tenant: Chad Wicker
Unit: A31

Items: Bookcase, end table, ironing board, dining chairs, lawn chairs, microwave cart, roller blades, boxes and bags

Tenant: Nathan Smith
Unit: A43

Items: Refrigerator, washer, weight bench, mattress and box springs, 8 chairs, golf club, television, lawn mower, couch, recliner, 12 boxes, cabinet, table and chairs

Tenant: Todd Holland
Unit: B59

Items: Ping pong table, car parts, motorcycle tires, V-6 engine

Tenant: Kstorie Shivers
Unit: B76

Items: Dresser, chest, headboard, mattress and boxsprings, 2 end tables, lamp, 4 boxes, 3 bags

Tenant: Gina Burns
Unit: B83

Items: Bakers rack, vacuum, 2 lamps, desk, dresser, nightstand, 11 boxes, 4 bags, table

Tenant: Mack A. Hall
Unit: D185

Items: Sink, shelving, ladder, display racks, cots, beds, 40 boxes

Tenant: Cecil Smith
Unit: F299

Items: Drophleaf table with 5 chairs, microwave, battery

Tenant: Jeffrie Campbell
Unit: F308

Items: Two barbecue grills, refrigerator, direct TV, stove-double oven, recliner, office chairs, dining room chairs, filing cabinet, vacuum

Publish: February 21, 2002
February 28, 2002

Billboard top 40 music cd, biz. Elvis to Britney \$150K yr. pot! Big \$\$ est. stores.
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Full or part time, days, afternoons or midnights. Apply in person, Bray's Hamburgers, 35650 Ford Rd., Westland.

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3520 or fax resume 248-474-0124.

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Established residential builder in Northville and Canton Twp. has an opening for a full time, hardworking & dependable person. Must have reliable transportation. General clean up and labor responsibilities. \$10 - \$11/hr., plus benefits. Call Pete at 734-254-0775, or fax at 734-254-0769.

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Full time with benefits. Will train. Apply, Painters Supply and Equipment, 1054 W. Ann Arbor Rd., Plymouth, MI.

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41247 E. Huron River Dr.
Belleville, MI 48111
734-699-4507
Drug Free Workplace

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EXPERIENCED PART-time grocery merchandisers for ongoing work in area Kroger stores. Must have own vehicle and willing to travel 30 mile radius. 18-24 hrs./wk. Start immediately! 1-800-869-8393, ext. 5704.

DIRECT CARE

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Westland, MI 48185

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734-216-4113**

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IMMEDIATE FT/PT SECURITY

Company expanding to the Romulus area is seeking uniformed Observe and Report Officers. Call 734-480-2777

HUMANITIES INSTRUCTOR, P/T

Schoolcraft College has an immediate opening for a P/T Humanities Instructor for the Winter 2002 Semester for day and evening classes. Minimum requirements are: Master's Degree in Humanities, or Master's degree in Art or Music with 2 years relevant teaching experience in Humanities or professional equivalency. Please call 734-462-4405 for an applications, or an application may be downloaded from the college web site. Completed Schoolcraft College application form and

copies of college transcripts, or the appropriate documentation relative to professional equivalency must be received Friday, January 4, 2002. Submit applications to:
Human Resources
Schoolcraft College
18600 Haggerty Road
Livonia, MI 48152
www.schoolcraft.cc.mi.us
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EOE/M/F/D/V

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LIVE-IN mature woman (husband ok) to live with 96 year old woman in Westland. She cares for personal needs but needs 24/7 care. Room & Board with small salary. Must have MI drivers License. Non-smoker, no pets. Call 313-295-2554 after 7:30pm.

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MSW

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MATURE CAREGIVER to care for 2 disabled adults in my home. No lifting required. Mon.-Fri., 7:30am-5pm. I-94 and Wayne Road area. Call 734-941-5998.

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For more information
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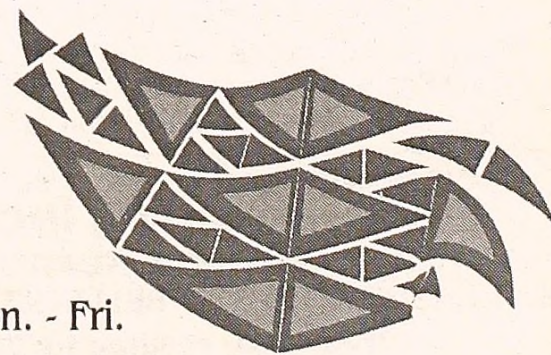
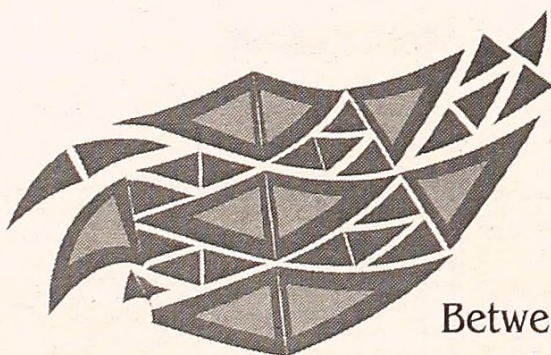
The City of Inkster, Mi with a population of approximately 30,115 is now accepting resumes for the position of City Treasurer/Controller. The responsibilities of this position include to directing and coordinating activities of department divisions which include Treasury, Purchasing, Assessing and Accounting.

The ideal person must have a minimum of 5 years experience in financial management and be able to direct budget preparation; contracts; debt management; investments; computers; internal auditing and all associated governmental reporting. Possession of bachelor's degree or it's equivalent in accounting, finance business; public administration or related field is required. A master's degree or CPA is preferred. The position reports directly to the City Manager. Salary: D.O.Q. Interested persons should submit their resume and salary history to:

**City of Inkster
Personnel Office**
2121 Inkster Rd.
Inkster, MI 48141

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DIRECT CARE STAFF

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DIRECT CARE STAFF

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(Trucking-Truckload)

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Art Van Furniture
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Westland, MI 48185
Equal Opportunity Employer M/F/D/V

DIRECT CARE STAFF

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(734) 941-1600

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Bray's Hamburgers in Westland is currently looking for waitstaff on all shifts. \$4.00/hr. plus tips. Apply in person, 35650 Ford Rd. or call 722-2950.

WE NEED help in our Westland office, full time. Mon.-Fri., 8am-5pm. Call 734-728-4572.

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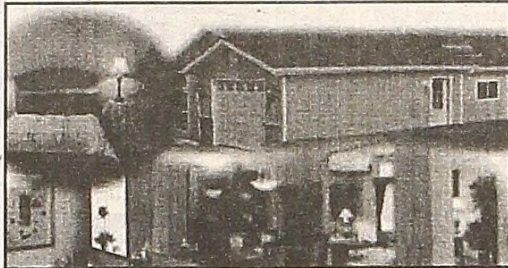
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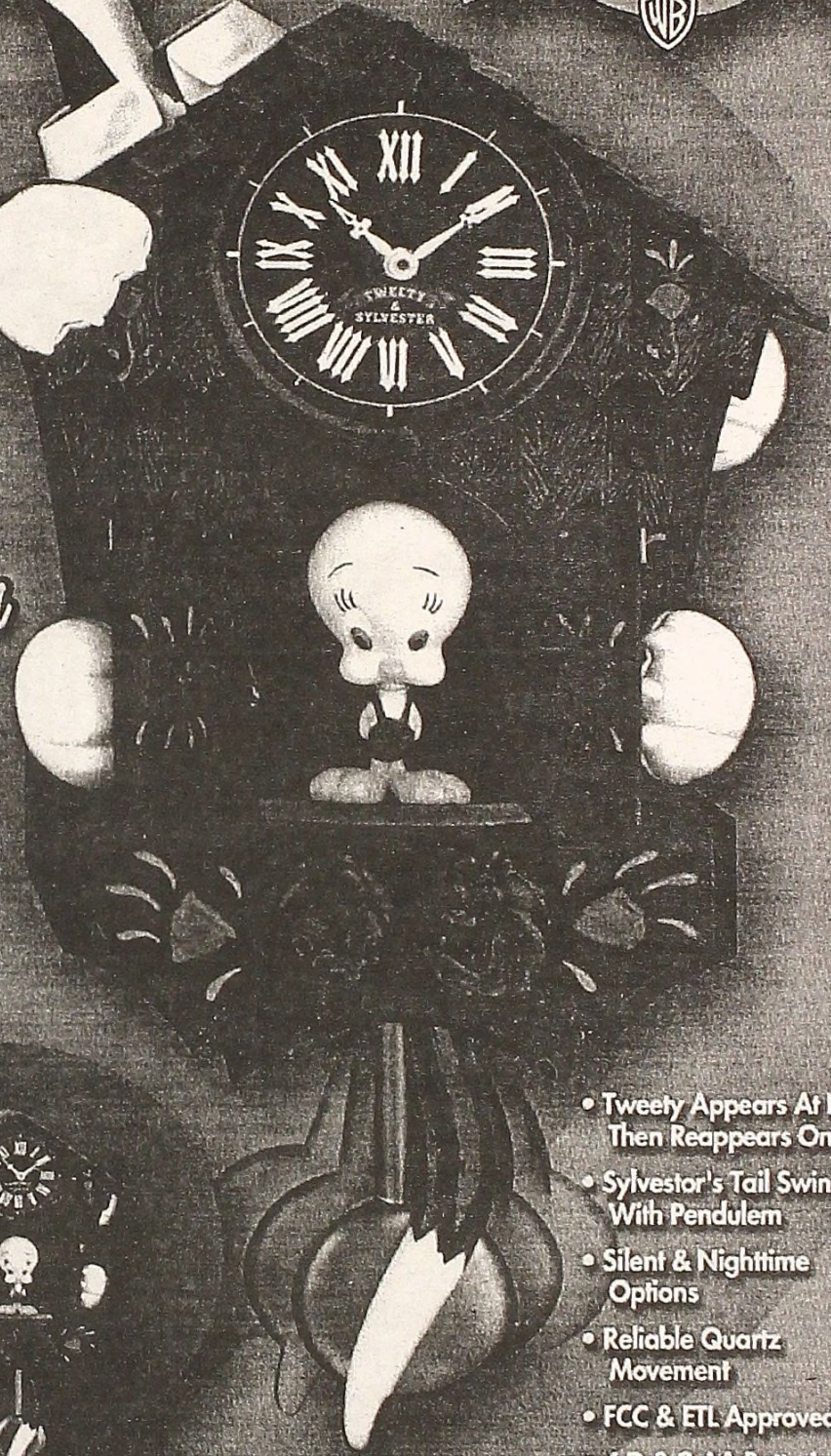
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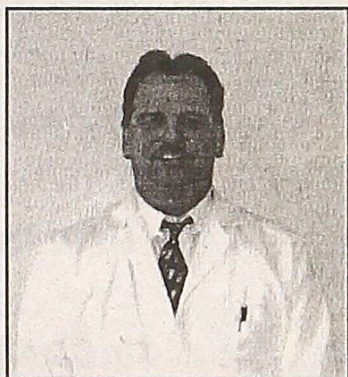
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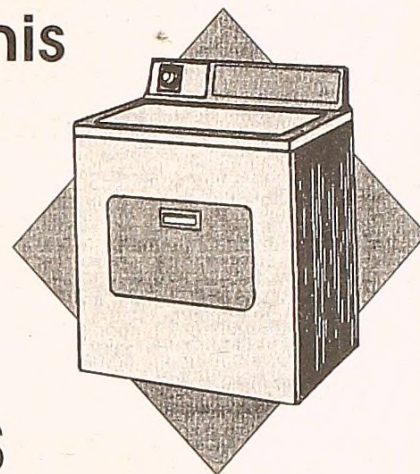
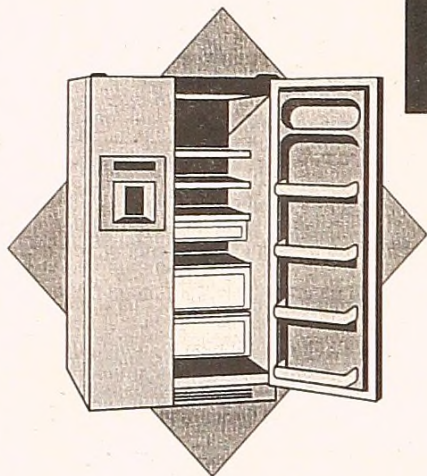
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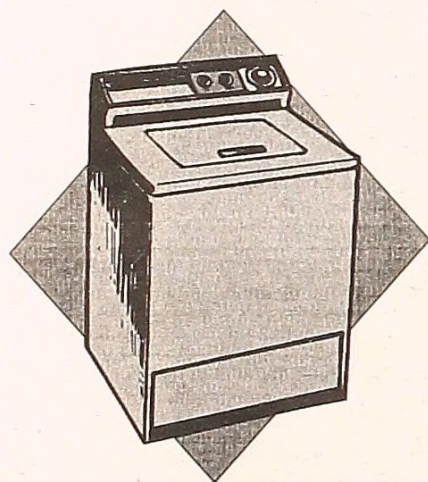
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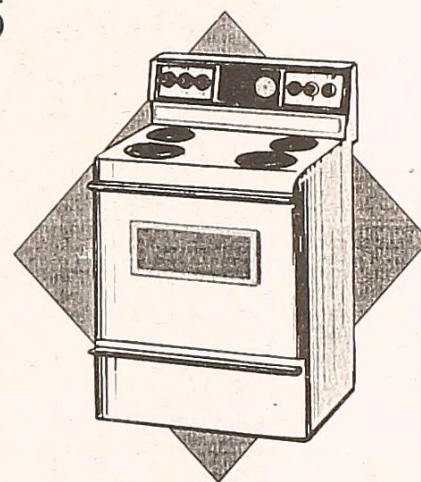
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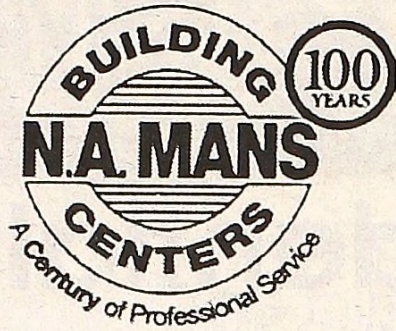
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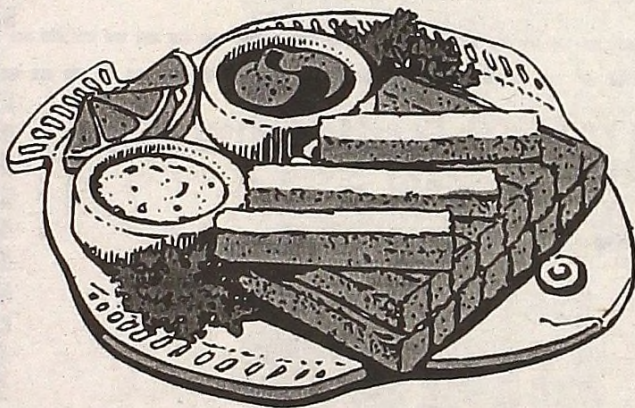
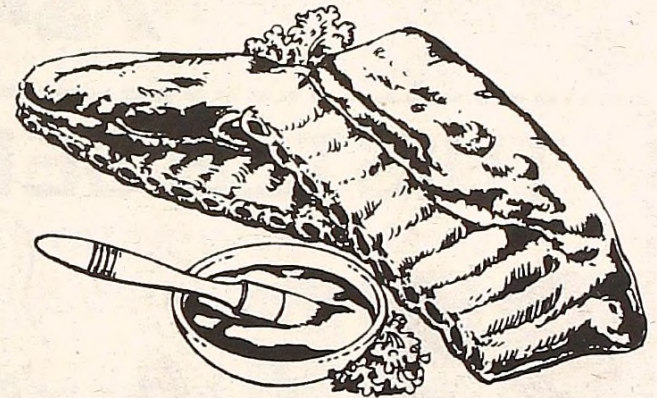
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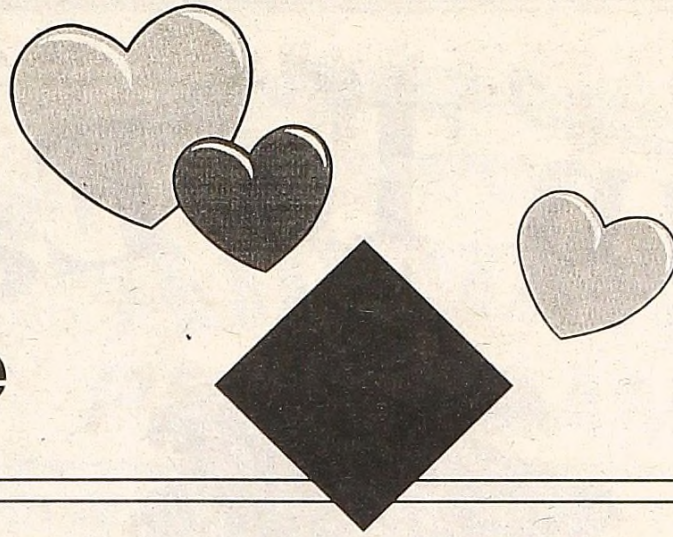
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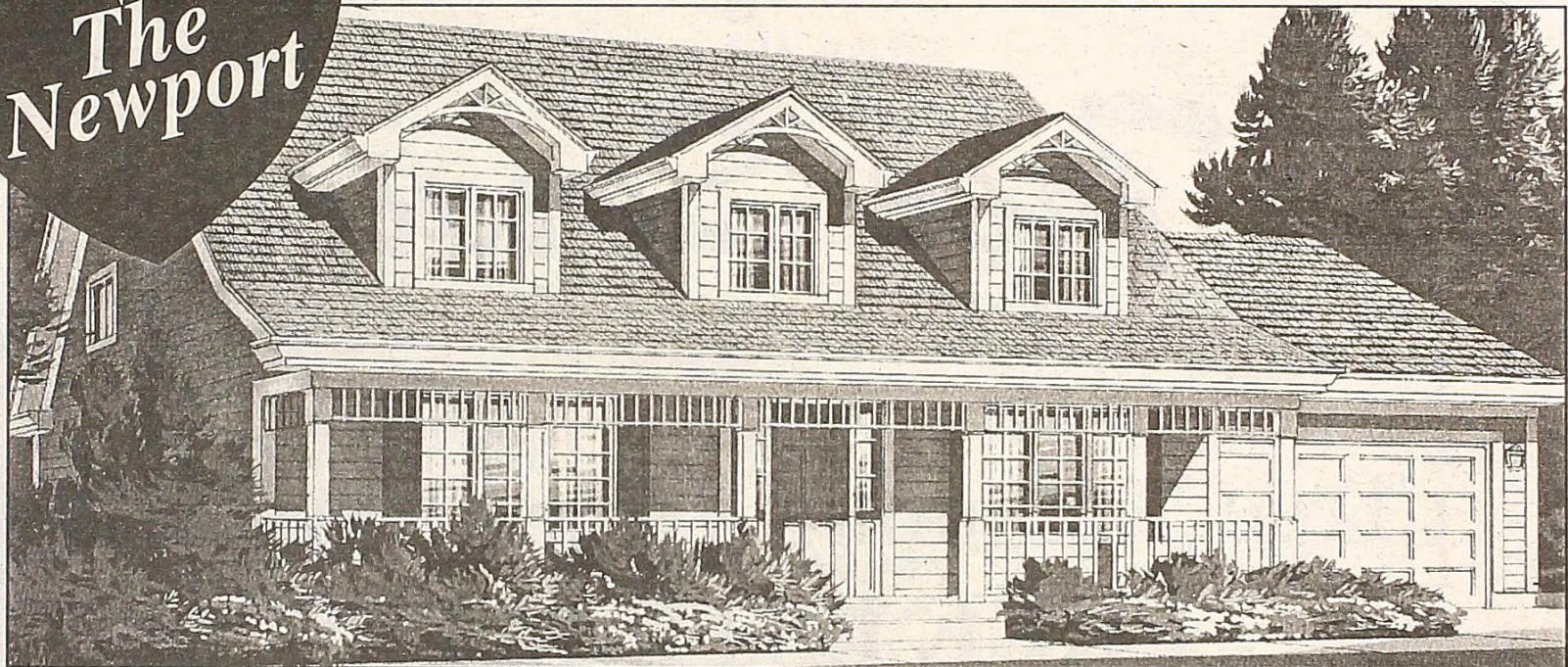


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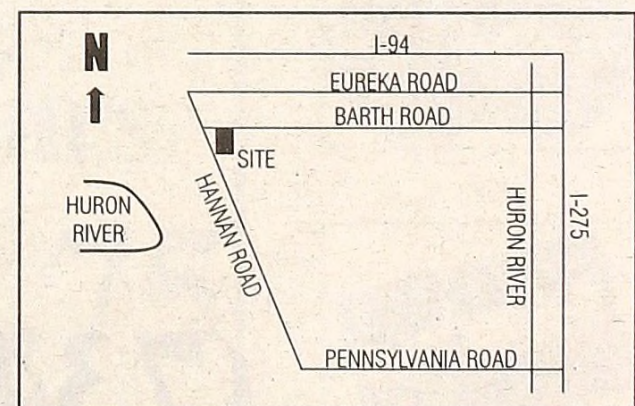


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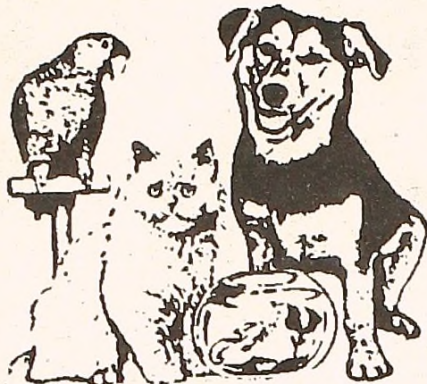
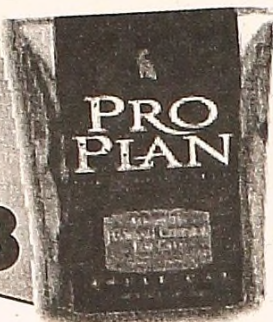
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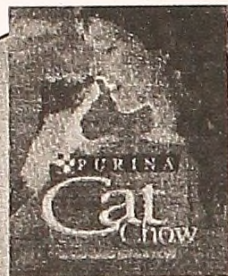
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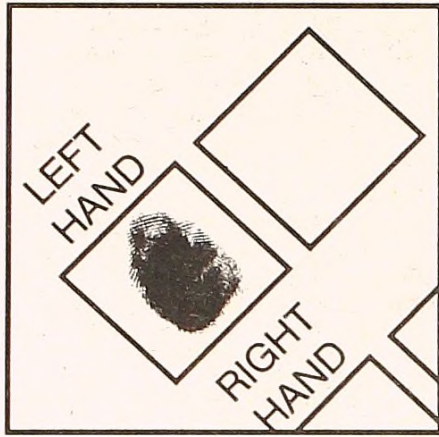
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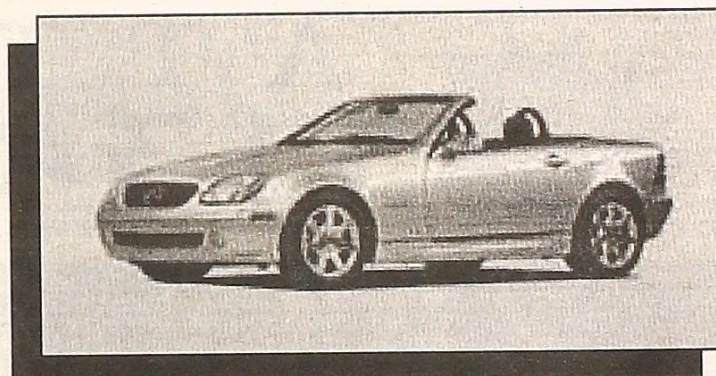
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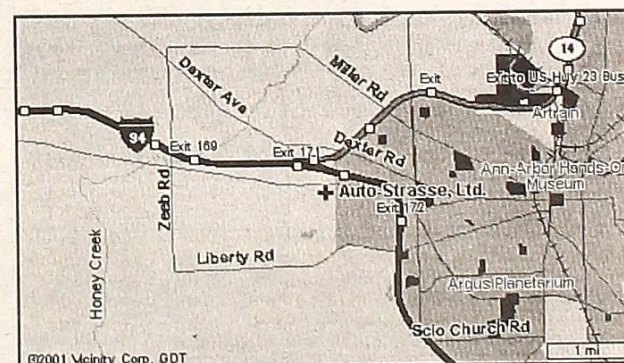
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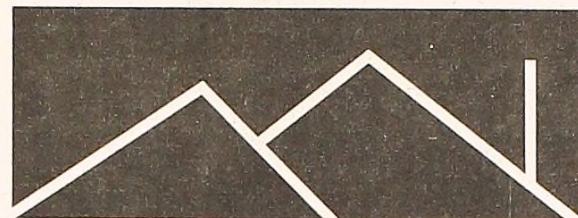
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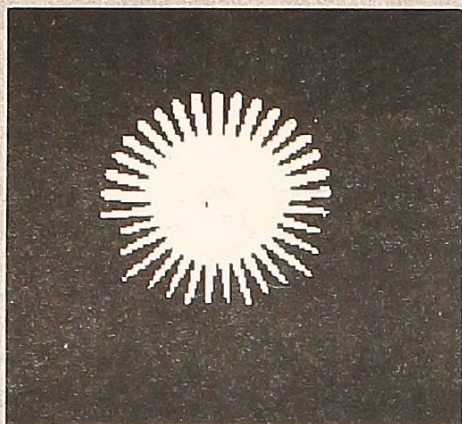
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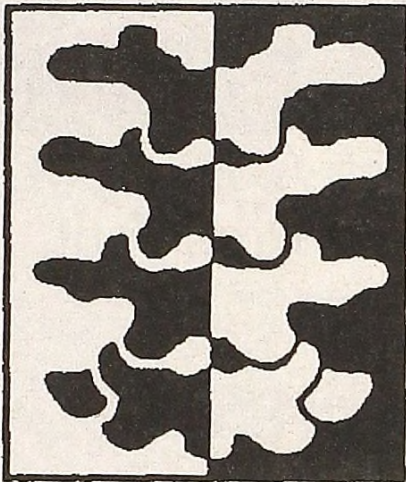
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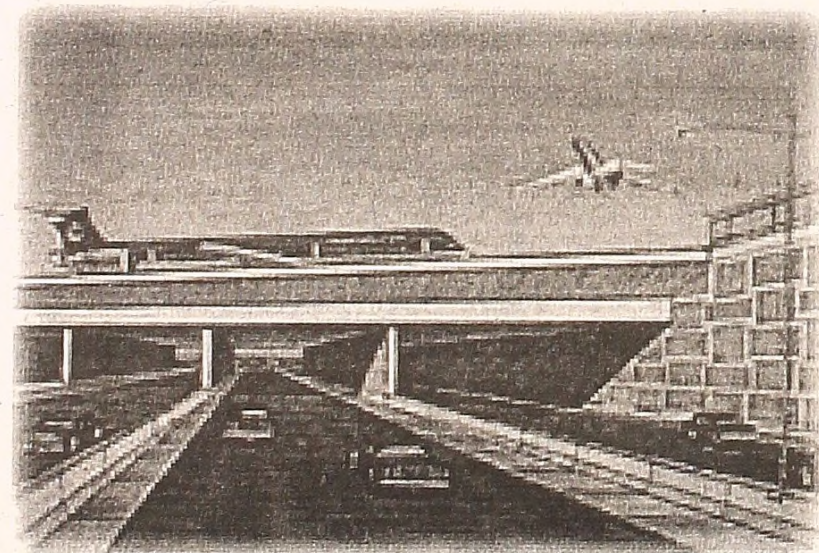
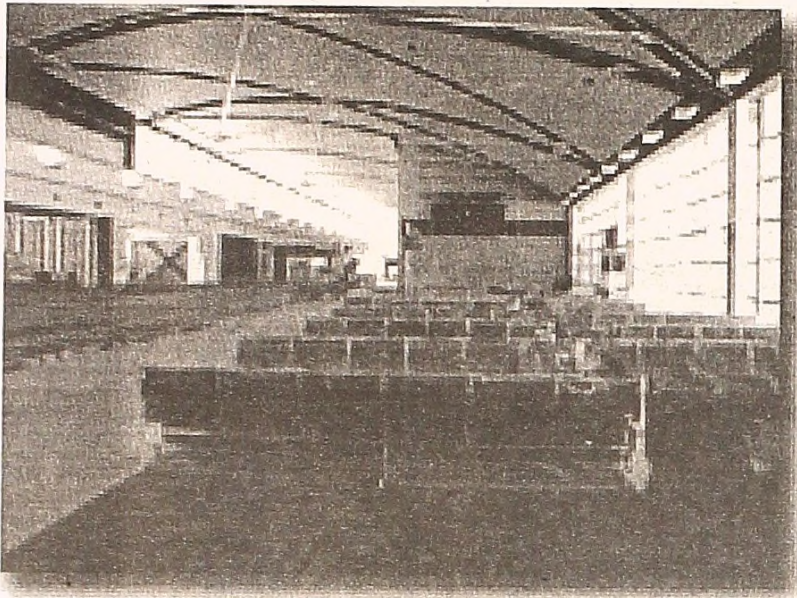
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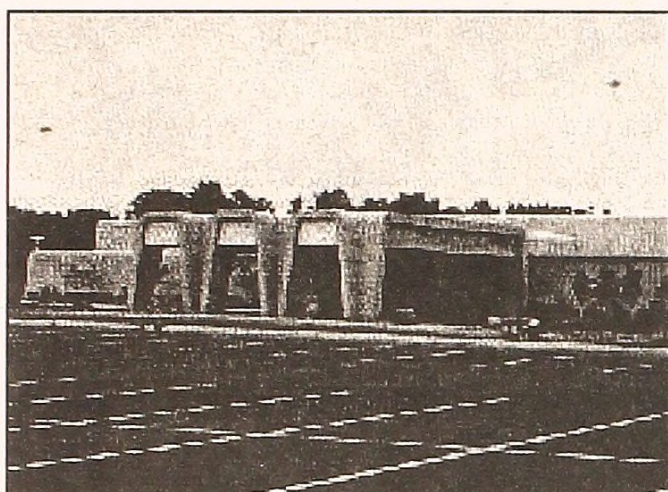
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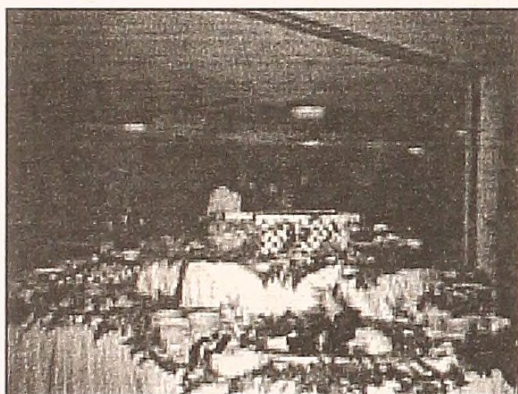


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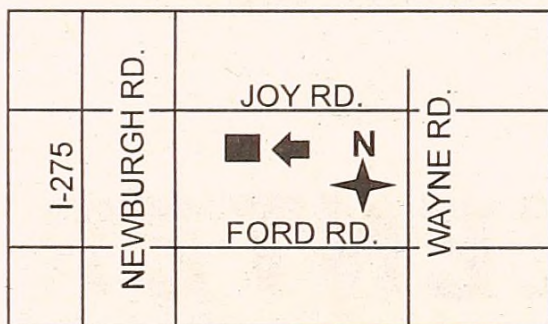
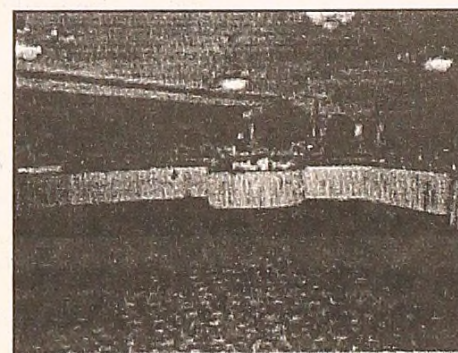


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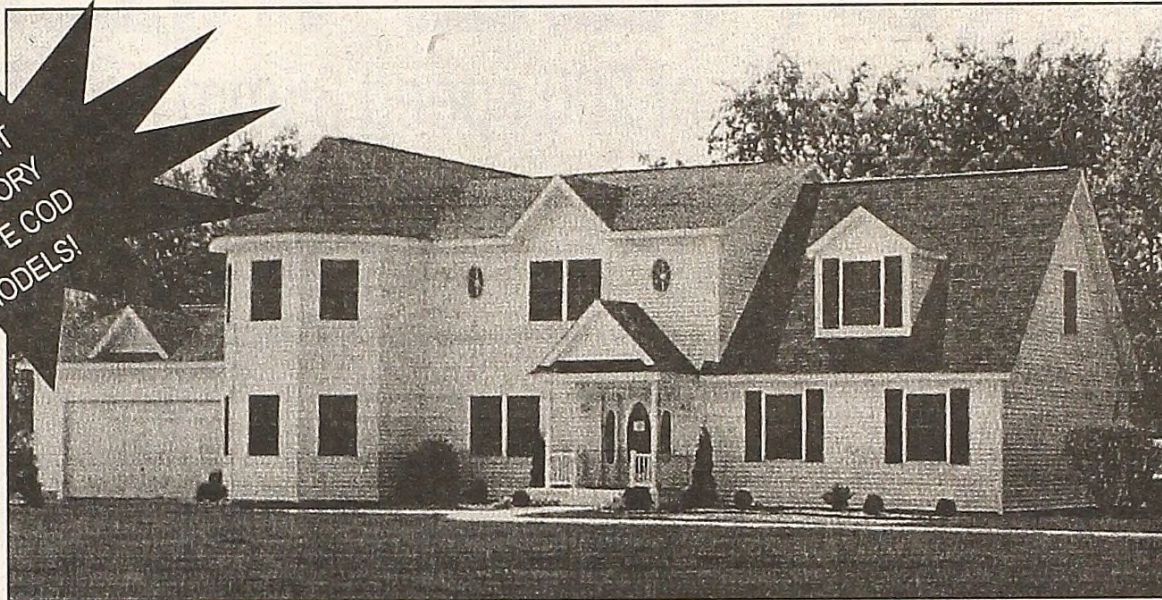
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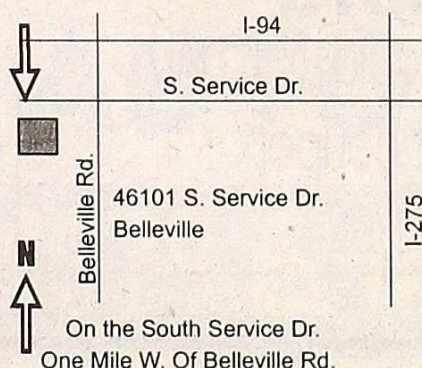
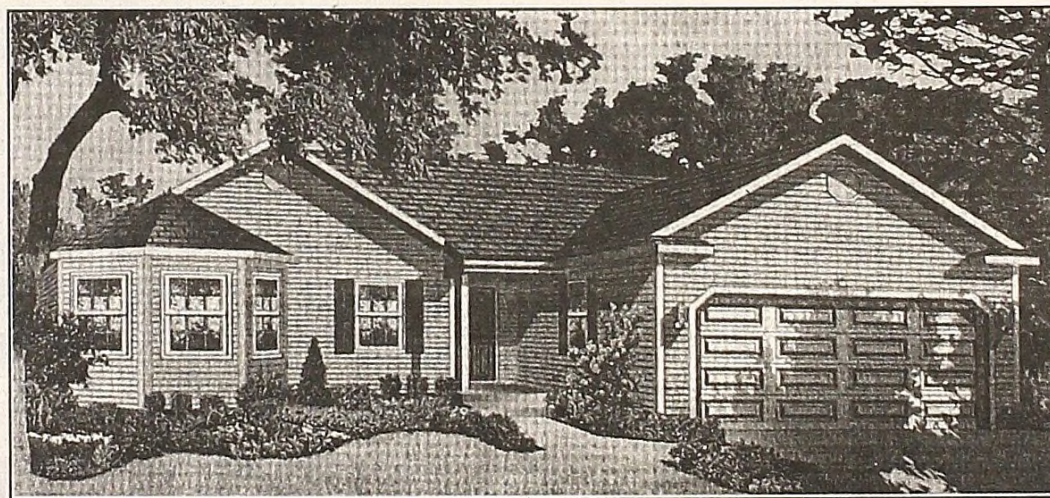
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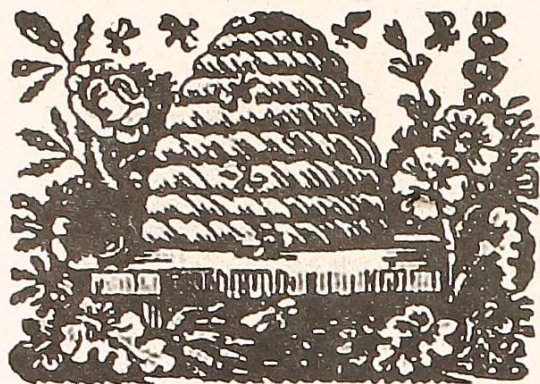
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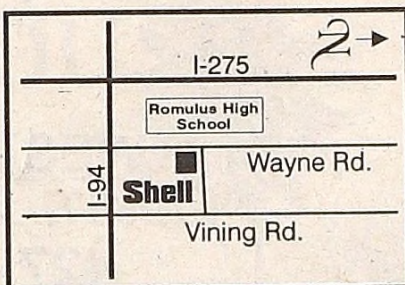


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